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Town Officers 1918-19

Moderator
W. A. MERRILL

Town Clerk
CHARLES H. DEAN

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor
W. C. WATERMAN GEORGE H. DAVIS
GEORGE H. KNOX

Treasurer
FRED W. McCORRISON

Collector
CHARLES H. WEBSTER

Road Commissioners
EDWIN M. HILL WILBUR F. OWEN

Superintendent of Schools
FRED BENSON

School Committee
JAMES B. ELDEN ERNEST H. EMERY
WILLIAM B. HAGUE, JR.

Fire Warden
LUCINA HUTCHERSON (resigned)
FRANK WEYMOUTH (appointed)

Auditor
W. A. MERRILL

Truant Officer
N. H. ATKINSON

Board of Health

A. G. WILEY, M. D. H. A. OWEN, M. D.
JAMES B. ELDEN

Constables

CHARLES H. WEBSTER N. H. ATKINSON

Surveyors of Wood, Lumber and Bark

W. H. BOULTER, J. M. STEVENS, E. M. HILL, F. E. WATERMAN, H. L. MILLIKEN, J. H. BRADBURY, GEO. A. PALMER, H. L. MARTIN, H. P. PENNELL, A. J. SMITH, R. D. SOULE, P. S. BROOKS, GEO. A. ROUNDS, CHESTER TOWNSEND, GEO. H. KNOX.

Scalers of Logs

E. A. PALMER, H. L. MARTIN, F. J. LEAVITT, E. M. HILL, F. E. WATERMAN, H. M. SOULE, W. H. BOULTER, H. C. REDLON, S. S. KELSO, GEO. H. KNOX.

Weighers of Grain

A. W. SOULE R. D. SOULE
S. R. HILL WM. PALMER
FRANK M. HOLT

Sealer of Weights and Measures

CHARLES H. WEBSTER

Weighers of Hay

M. W. KEMP P. S. BROOKS

Weighers of Coal

A. W. DAVIS P. S. BROOKS

Fence Viewers

JAMES B. ELDEN H. C. REDLON
WILLIAM A. MERRILL

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

York, s. s.

To Charles H. Webster, a constable of the Town of Buxton, in the County of York and State of Maine, Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby requested to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Buxton qualified to vote in town affairs to meet in the Town House in said Town of Buxton on Monday, the third (3rd) day of March, A. D. 1919, at ten (10) o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles:

Art. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To see if the Town will vote to accept the reports of the several Town Officers.

Art. 3. To choose Town Officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 4. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the support of Common Schools for the ensuing year.

Art. 5. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the support of Free High School for the ensuing year.

Art. 6. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for fuel and janitor service in High School for the ensuing year.

Art. 7. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for text-books for the ensuing year.

Art. 8. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for school supplies for the ensuing year.

Art. 9. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for repairs of school buildings for the ensuing year.

Art. 10. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for laboratory supplies for the ensuing year.

Art. 11. To see how much money the Town will vote

to grant and raise for the contingent expenses for the ensuing year.

Art. 12. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the support of poor for the ensuing year.

Art. 13. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the repair of highways for the ensuing year.

Art. 14. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the support of bridges and culverts for the ensuing year.

Art. 15. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the cutting bushes for the ensuing year.

Art. 16. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the destruction of brown-tail moths and raise money for same.

Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote "yes" or "no" on the question of appropriating and raising money necessary to entitle the Town to State Aid as provided in Section 19, Chapter 25, Revised Statutes of 1916.

Art. 18. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and raise the sum of seven hundred thirty-two (732) dollars for the improvement of State Aid road as outlined in the report of the State Highway Commission in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges, the above amount being the maximum which the Town is allowed to raise under the provisions of Sec. 18, Chap. 25 of the Revised Statutes of 1916.

Art. 19. To see if the Town will vote to grant and raise money and what sum for maintenance of State Aid highways during the ensuing year within the limits of the town under the provisions of Sec. 17, Chap. 25 of the Revised Statutes of 1916.

Art. 20. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for John H. Came Post G. A. R., for Memorial Day.

Art. 21. To see what per cent. the Town will vote to

pay the collector of taxes collected for the ensuing year.

Art. 22. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise to pay interest on bonds and bequests and for insurance on school buildings for the ensuing year.

Art. 23. To see if the Town will vote to empower the Selectmen and Treasurer to hire money to meet town expenses until taxes are collected, if necessary to do so, and grant and raise money to pay interest on same.

Art. 24. To see how much money the town will vote to grant and raise to apply to the sinking fund already established to take care of bonds issued.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to grant and raise money and how much for the support of electric lights in Bar Mills, Salmon Falls and Buxton Lower Corner.

Art. 26. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise to pay outstanding obligations.

Art. 27. To see if the Town will vote to have the steam heating system at Bar Mills Graded School remodeled according to recommendations made by an engineer of steam heating plants and to grant and raise money for same.

Art. 28. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise to pay for electric lights at West Buxton, Dearborn Hill, Buxton Center, Buxton Depot, Buxton Grange Hall and Duckpond as per contract signed by Selectmen in 1916.

Art. 29. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for breaking down snow for the winters of 1918 and 1919.

Art. 30. To see if the Town will vote to grant and raise the sum of fifteen ($15) dollars for the purchase of schoolhouse flags.

Art. 31. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise to continue the railing along the highway leading from West Buxton to Hancock Hill.

Art. 32. To see how much money the town will vote to grant and raise for the care of ancient burying grounds

as provided in Chapter 166, Sec. 3 of the Public Laws of Maine approved April 3, 1917.

Art. 33. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Superintending School Committee to appoint a School Physician in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 16, Public Laws of Maine 1916, and grant and raise the sum of twenty-five ($25) dollars as the maximum expenses for same.

Art. 34. To see if the town will vote to grant and raise the sum of seven hundred twenty-five (725) dollars to be added to one hundred seventy-five (175) dollars raised by the Town of Buxton under article 40, March 6, 1916, to repair Dunnell's Bridge, the whole amount, nine hundred (900) dollars to be used if necessary in building a concrete bridge at this point.

Art. 35. To see if the town will vote to have a revaluation of the real and personal estate of the town in compliance with the request of the Board of State Assessors, also to raise money to pay for same.

Art. 36. To see if the town will vote to elect its Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, one for one year, one for two years, and one for three years beginning with the year 1920.

Art. 37. To see if the town will vote to create a special Municipal Board of Mothers' Aid to consist of three members, at least one of which shall be one of the Board of Overseers of the Poor and at least one of whom shall be a woman to serve for three years' term, the term of one member to expire each year; this article to take effect at beginning of the year 1920.

Art. 38. To see if the town will vote to grant and raise the sum of twenty dollars ($20) to pay Charles H. Dean for seven and three-fourths' days work with team delivering sugar cards during July and August, 1918.

Art. 39. To see if the town will vote to grant and raise the sum of two hundred fifty (250) dollars to repair and maintain sidewalks at West Buxton.

Art. 40. To see if the town will accept a new Town way as laid out by the Selectmen extending from Towle

Street, so called, to Allen's Road, or Saco Road, so called, near where said highways cross the Boston & Maine Railroad; all work connected with the construction of said Town way to be done, and all materials to be furnished by and at expense of the Boston & Maine Railroad, and all damages for land taken in connection therewith to be paid by the Boston & Maine Railroad on behalf of the Town of Buxton.

Art. 41. To see if the town will discontinue that portion of Towle Street lying northerly of a line thirty-three (33) feet southerly and concentric with the center line of location of the Boston & Maine Railroad, as shown bounded by the points "A", "B", "C" and "D" on plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Art. 42. To see if the town will grant and raise the sum of two hundred (200) dollars to be used in graveling road from Buxton Center to Buxton Depot.

Art. 43. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Superintending School Committee to continue such schools that fail to maintain the required attendance, for a part or the whole of the ensuing year, if in their judgment it seems advisable. (Recommended by the S. S. Committee.)

Art. 44. To see if the town will vote to grant and raise the sum of twenty-five (25) dollars to be used for prizes for the Boys' and Girls' Agricultural Clubs. (Petition of J. G. Hutchinson and ten others.)

The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session at the Selectmen's office on Saturday, March 1, 1919, from 9 o'clock A. M., to 4 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

Fail not to make due service of this warrant and return your doings thereon at the time and place of meeting.

Given under our hands this 21st day of February, A. D. 1919.

WILBUR C. WATERMAN,
GEORGE H. DAVIS,
GEORGE H. KNOX,
Selectmen of Buxton.

Report of the Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor.

Valuation, 1918

Resident real estate,	$456,955.00	
Non-resident real estate,	602,590.00	
		$1,059,545.00
Resident personal estate,	$135,067.00	
Non-resident personal estate,	60,639.00	
		$195,706.00
Total valuation,		$1,255,251.00
Rate of assessment, $22.40 on $1,000.00.		
Number of polls at $2.00,		437
Number of polls exempt,		68
Whole number of polls,		505

Money Raised and Assessed

For State tax,		$7,189.31
For County tax,		1,224.10
		$8,413.41
For support of common schools,	$2,800.00	
Support of high school,	1,800.00	
Fuel and janitor, high school,	650.00	

Text books,	350.00	
School supplies,	200.00	
School repairs,	500.00	
Support of poor,	1,000.00	
Contingent expenses,	1,700.00	
Repairs of highway,	3,200.00	
State aid highway,	666.00	
Maintenance of State aid highway,	50.00	
Repairs of bridges and culverts,	800.00	
Cutting bushes,	200.00	
John H. Came Post, G. A. R.,	25.00	
Rolling highway, West Buxton to Hancock Hill,	150.00	
Schoolhouse flags,	15.00	
Repairs of heat'g plant, high school,	370.00	
Interest on bank loans,	300.00	
Interest on bonds, bequests and insurance,	1,375.00	
Sinking fund,	1,100.00	
Electric lights, Bar Mills, Salmon Falls & Buxton Lower Corner,	296.00	
Electric lights at West Buxton and Buxton Center, one each at Dearborn Hill, Buxton Depot, Buxton Grange Hall and Duck Pond,	138.00	
Outstanding obligations,	1,000.00	
Breaking down snow,	1,200.00	
School physician,	25.00	
Overlay in assessment,	666.72	
		$28,990.13
Supplementary tax,		24.56
Whole amount committed to Charles H. Webster, collector,		$29,014.69

Appropriations

Whole amount assessed,		$29,014.69
School fund and mill tax,		1,538.18
Common school fund,		1,886.35
Received from	State, account of high school,	500.00
	State, 1917 dog licenses refunded,	15.37
	Sale of tax deeds,	33.60
	Sale of grass on Town Farm,	25.00
	State, R. R. and Tel. tax,	40.95
	Ads. in Town Report, 1919,	1.50
	State, burial of soldier's widow,	35.00
	Town of Scarboro, proportion cost of maintaining Scarboro Corner school,	109.50
	Fred R. Wells, for board of Miss Emily Wells,	251.00
	Florence Leighton, teacher, refund of salary,	24.00
	Relatives of Hattie Towle, for board,	48.00
	For grass on Union Falls schoolhouse lot,	1.00
	State, account of Mothers' Aid,	21.00
	County for examination of blind, 1915,	8.00
	Interest on bank balances,	38.47
	State, account State pensions,	588.00

Inventory of Personal Property

RETURNED TO BOARD OF STATE ASSESSORS

Taxable Livestock

372 horses and mules,	$28,405.00	
3 colts, 3 to 4 years old,	300.00	
3 colts, 2 to 3 years old,	225.00	
2 colts, under 2 years old	100.00	
561 cows,	19,635.00	
54 oxen,	3,705.00	
132 cows, 3 years old,	4,081.00	
219 cows, 2 years old,	5,407.00	
		$61,858.00

Exempt Livestock

164 cows, 1 year old,	$2,460.00	
35 sheep,	350.00	
98 swine,	2,288.00	
		$5,098.00

Other Kinds of Property

56 shares of bank stock,	$5,600.00	
Money at interest,	10,000.00	
Stock in trade,	15,448.00	
Two small boats,	100.00	
Logs and lumber,	39,045.00	
22 carriages,	595.00	
83 automobiles,	23,175.00	
61 musical instruments,	5,220.00	
Finished products in mill,	2,800.00	
Material in stock,	24,600.00	
Other property,	7,265.00	
		$133,848.00
Amount taxable live stock brought forward,		$61,858.00
		$195,706.00

Orders Drawn for Highway Bills—Commissioner Roberts

Order No.		
701	S. H. Waterhouse, gravel, 1916,	$4.80

Orders Drawn for Highway Bills—Commissioner Owen

Order No.		
99	W. S. Dennett,	$ 4.50
144	S. P. Sawyer,	2.25
145	Walter Hill,	25.00
146	George Corliss,	7.75
147	George Corliss,	21.38
148	B. B. Blithen,	6.75
149	James Carll,	15.00
150	John Fogg,	17.50
151	Joseph Bean,	4.50
152	Samuel Berry,	6.75
153	W. Eaton,	11.25
154	Everett Goodwin,	7.50
155	B. B. Blithen,	17.00
156	Lester Ricker,	25.00
157	Lester Ricker,	15.00
158	Walter Hill,	15.00
209	Samuel Berry,	13.50
210	W. F. Owen,	31.63
211	Walter Hill,	5.00
212	Harry Merrill,	25.00
213	C. S. D. Nichols, gravel,	12.75
214	Atwood Berry,	9.75
215	W. F. Owen,	23.75
216	Everett Goodwin,	4.50
217	Al. Burgess,	9.00
218	W. F. Owen,	14.13
219	C. S. D. Nichols, gravel,	3.88
220	A. Pinkham, gravel,	5.00
221	W. F. Owen,	6.88
222	George Sawyer, gravel,	13.00

223	Samuel Berry,	7.31
224	W. F. Owen,	6.88
225	J. Carll, hanging lanterns,	1.00
226	Charles Watson,	12.38
227	William Plummer,	4.50
228	Walter Hill,	12.50
229	Willis Graffam,	9.00
230	W. Dennett,	24.75
231	James Carll,	40.00
232	John Fogg,	10.00
233	George Corliss,	11.25
234	James Carll,	20.00
235	James Carll,	32.50
236	John Fogg,	25.00
237	W. F. Owen,	4.13
238	Harry Merrill,	15.00
239	Al. Burgess,	4.50
240	Walter Hill,	27.50
241	George Corliss,	10.13
242	W. F. Owen, clay and gravel,	7.00
376	Walter Hill,	12.50
377	John Fogg,	7.50
378	Walter Hill,	30.00
379	W. F. Owen,	35.00
445	Walter Hill,	25.00
446	A. A. Pinkham,	20.25
447	A. Kelly,	20.25
448	Lester Ricker,	35.00
449	John Fogg,	40.00
450	A. A. Pinkham, gravel,	6.50
451	George Corliss,	49.50
452	W. F. Owen,	16.50
453	W. Hill, labor and gravel,	51.88
454	W. F. Owen,	8.25
455	W. F. Owen,	9.25
535	Walter Hill,	7.50
586	H. H. Locke,	42.50
587	Lester Ricker,	50.00
588	L. Fogg,	2.25

589	John Fogg,	57.50	
590	W. F. Owen,	8.25	
591	G. M. Sawyer, gravel,	11.38	
592	C. M. Staples, clay,	5.38	
593	C. A. Pinkham,	2.25	
594	Samuel Sawyer,	10.13	
595	Lester Ricker,	30.00	
596	Arthur Pinkham, gravel,	17.13	
650	John Fogg,	5.00	
651	Lester Ricker,	5.00	
702	James B. Carll,	10.00	
703	Harry Merrill,	5.00	
704	O. W. Hayes,	12.50	
705	W. A. Merrill,	42.50	
706	W. A. Merrill, gravel,	10.63	
707	Walter Hill,	15.00	
708	George M. Sawyer, gravel,	6.88	
	Amount orders drawn,		$1,389.39

Orders Drawn for Highway Bills—Commissioner Harmon

Order No.			
282	Almon H. Littlefield,	$1 75	
606	Mrs. James Gould, gravel,	4 20	
	Amount orders drawn,		$5 95

Highway Bills Paid by Order of Selectmen — Public Watering Places

Order No.		
631	Charles C. Palmer,	$5.00
633	H. M. Davis,	5.00
634	F. O. Boothby,	5.00
632	W. P. Rounds,	5.00
722	James A. Hulit,	5.00

723	Jonathan Hutchinson, heirs of,	5.00	
	Amount orders drawn,		$30.00

Orders drawn for Highway Bills — Commissioner Hill

Order No.		
14	H. Emery,	$1.25
41	Freeman Rose,	2.00
42	A. J. Lombard, gravel in 1917,	4.50
98	E. M. Hill,	18.00
100	Clarence Marshall,	1.00
109	Frank Rounds,	24.75
159	Ernest Emery,	43.75
160	M. E. Tapley,	13.50
161	Emery C. Stevens,	35.00
162	James Hulit,	45.00
163	Frank Rounds,	27.00
164	Zenas Martin,	41.25
165	C. M. Rounds,	12.50
166	M. E. Tapley,	9.00
167	Emery Stevens,	36.25
168	David V. Callahan,	4.50
169	Daniel Brackett,	27.50
170	Daniel Brackett,	24.62
171	Zenas Martin,	35.00
172	C. M. Rounds,	23.10
173	M. E. Tapley,	6.50
174	M. E. Tapley,	8.44
175	Emery Stevens,	10.00
243	M. E. Tapley,	6.75
244	Frank Rounds,	4.50
245	George Graffam,	1.00
246	H. G. Richards,	1.13
247	Lewis Fogg,	.75
248	George Graffam,	12 25
249	H. G. Richards,	4.50
250	Ed. Rowe,	10.84
251	Carroll Rounds,	7.50
252	W. P. Eaton,	6.75

253	Herman Emery,	4.50
254	J. J. Treadwell,	9.00
255	J. J. Treadwell,	6.75
256	J. J. Treadwell,	4.50
257	Daniel Brackett,	7.50
258	Daniel Brackett,	8.75
259	Zenas Martin,	9.50
260	H. E. Elwell,	1.13
261	Fred McCorrison,	20.00
262	W. M. Hammond,	4.50
263	Frank Rounds,	11 25
264	M. E. Tapley,	6.75
265	Carroll Rounds,	5.00
266	Daniel Brackett,	11.75
267	Walter Campbell,	2.00
268	F. L. Wood,	10.00
269	Sumner Waterman,	26.00
270	Charles Smith,	5.63
271	Henry Redlon,	15.00
272	Frank Emery,	12 50
273	Emery Stevens, gravel,	5 50
274	M. E. Tapley,	9.00
275	Frank Emery,	22.00
276	Carroll Rounds,	6.25
277	James Fogg, gravel,	5 50
278	M. W. Kemp,	13 00
279	Frank Emery,	21.72
280	Frank Rounds,	6.75
281	M. E. Tapley,	4.50
374	New England Road Machine Co., repairs for road machine,	14 50
384	Daniel Brackett,	9.75
385	E. M. Hill,	142.34
386	Carroll M. Rounds,	15.45
387	Emery C. Stevens,	5.00
388	John Haley,	10.00
419	George Martin,	5.00
420	Carroll Rounds,	5.63
421	Daniel Brackett,	10.00

422	Daniel Brackett,	5.63
423	John Treadwell,	2.25
424	H. G. Richards,	5.63
425	Carroll Rounds,	12.50
426	Noah Eaton, gravel,	1.50
524	Daniel Brackett,	5.00
525	Fred W. McCorrison,	31.65
526	Daniel Brackett,	6.25
527	C. M. Rounds,	5.00
528	C. M. Rounds,	8.75
529	M. E. Tapley,	13.50
573	Raymond Tarbox,	4.55
574	George H. Davis,	10.00
575	George Graffam,	7.88
576	Frank Rounds,	7.87
577	Frank Rounds,	24.75
578	William Hammond,	4.50
579	Frank Osborn,	4.50
580	H. S. Blake,	5.00
581	O. G. Parker,	5.12
582	Frank Rounds,	4.50
583	Luther Weymouth,	3.00
585	Luther Weymouth,	1.39
635	Ernest Johnson,	7.25
640	E. C. Stevens,	26.25
641	E. D. Rowe,	10.00
642	S. W. Haley,	5.00
643	Z. M. Martin,	25.00
584	Luther Weymouth,	4.50
688	M. S. Harmon,	3.60
689	E. M. Hill,	66.12
690	M. S. Harmon,	6.50
691	E. W. Stevens,	6.75
692	F. L. Wood,	10.88
693	Henry D. Emery,	9.00
694	M. W. Kemp,	8.70
803	Fred W. McCorrison,	5.00
804	Charles Smith,	1.12
805	Ed. Eaton, gravel,	7.20

806	Scott McCorrison,	5.63	
807	J. G. Norton,	2.50	
808	Perce Lane, clay,	2.20	
	Amount Commissioner Hill's orders,		$1,398.20
	Amount Commissioner Owen's orders,		1,389.39
	Amount Commissioner Harmon's orders, 1917,		5.95
	Amount Commissioner Roberts' order, 1916,		4.80
	Highway bills paid by order of Selectmen for public watering places,		30.00
502	State Treasurer, Town of Buxton's proportion for highway patrol service,		320.18
	Overdrawn Feb. 16, 1918,		1,201 92
			$4,350.44

Town appropriation,	$3,200.00	
Credited from amount raised to pay outstanding obligations,	250.00	
Overdrawn Feb. 8, 1919,	900.44	
		$4,350.44

Orders Drawn for State Aid Maintenance Account

Order No.			
502	State Treasurer, amount paid Buxton highway patrolman,		$50.00
	Town appropriation,	$50.00	

Orders Drawn for State Aid Highway Account

Order No.			
652	Frank A. Emery, labor,	$ 3.00	
555	R. W. Libby, engineer, surveying road,		13.50
762	Geo. H. Davis, labor and material,	4.50	
	Amount orders drawn,		$21.00

Balance unexpended,	645.00
	$666.00

Town appropriation, $666.00

When the Town of Buxton has expended the above balance $645.00, the State will furnish $812.52 to apply on this account, also $56.90 which was unexpended in 1917. This makes a total of $1,514.42, now available for work in 1919.

Work on the State aid highway was abandoned in 1918 upon recommendation of the State Highway Commission on account of the scarcity of labor.

Orders Drawn for Snow Bills—Commissioner Owen

Order No.		
96	Everett Goodwin,	$1.11
141	Ernest Hanson,	1.00
142	Ernest Hanson,	.67
143	W. Graffam,	1.13
289	Roy Berry,	2.25
290	H. Merrill,	2.50
412	P. S. Brooks,	2.00
597	Samuel Rankin,	3.50
598	Samuel Rankin,	1.15
709	James B. Carll, housing roller,	2.50
710	W. F. Owen,	6.00
711	W. F. Owen,	4.50
712	Clarence Deering,	16.20
713	George A. Deering,	24.00
798	Lester Ricker,	18.00
814	Freedom Berry,	15.00
	Amount Commissioner Owen's orders,	$101.51

Orders Drawn for Snow Bills—Commissioner Harmon

Order No.		
1	H. H. Locke,	$12.33
2	W. S. Dennett,	9.00
3	James M. Berry,	4.22
4	Roy Carll,	4.00
5	J. H. Cluff,	18.00
6	Norton Libby,	2.67
7	H. H. Hill,	12.47
90	J. B. Elden,	19.73
91	Atwood Berry,	10.00
94	Edwin Plummer,	1.00
95	Joseph Bean,	2.22
97	Preston Davis,	2.00
140	Warren F. Cole,	3.00
288	Joseph Wolfer,	2.00
604	George H. Palmer,	2.00
605	Hector Barber,	3.68
22	Ivory Berry,	10.67
23	Charles Watson,	1.55
24	Walter Hill,	18.00
25	Freedom Berry,	10.00
26	Frank W. Harmon,	12.75
27	J. E. Hanson,	3.22
28	S. E. Rankin,	34.95
29	Harry N. Merrill,	15.00
30	E. L. Witherell,	6.00
31	James B. Carll,	3.00
32	P. S. Brooks,	6.00
758	W. H. Spiller,	9.50
	Amount Commissioner Harmon's orders,	$238.96

Orders Drawn for Snow Bills—Commissioner Hill

Order No.		
8	Dolan Waterman,	$3.52
9	C. W. Waterman,	1.76
10	Zenas M. Martin,	27.50

11	L. E. Waterman,	12.50
12	H. G. Richards,	3.50
13	Herman Emery,	2.00
80	M. E. Tapley,	5.00
81	Lewis Martin,	6.00
82	Daniel Brackett,	4.74
83	Sidney Elwell,	2.86
84	Ernest Fogg,	1.76
85	Henry Redlon,	35.00
86	James A. Hulit,	47.50
87	M. E. Tapley,	1.00
88	Edward Roberts,	2.64
89	W. F. Emery,	27.50
92	E. M. Hill,	9.29
93	Carroll Rounds,	3.50
136	David Callahan,	2.00
137	W. C. Hill,	66.00
138	J. J. Treadwell,	2.00
139	Emery Stevens,	2.64
291	G. W. Graffam,	6.00
292	H. G. Richards,	1.00
293	Frank Emery,	16.72
294	Lewis Marlin,	10.00
295	W. M. Hammond,	1.00
296	Fred McCorrison,	2.00
297	Sumner Waterman,	49.78
298	Clifford Webster,	3.00
299	Charles Webster,	5.50
300	M. E. Tapley,	2.00
301	Frank Rounds,	6.00
302	George H. Davis,	3.45
303	Frank Emery,	1.84
304	Herman Emery,	1.84
440	Basil Townsend,	19.00
441	Frank Elwell,	2.00
530	Frank Emery,	39.01
559	G. W. Boothby,	57.50
560	W. P. Rounds,	11.59
561	Stillman Hartford,	3.38

562	H. S. Blake,	4.46	
563	H. L. Brooks,	1.96	
564	Raymond Tarbox,	6.60	
565	E. R. Rankin,	12.10	
603	James Sands,	$17.68	
648	Harland Blake,	3.00	
696	E. W. Stevens,	3.00	
697	George Flood,	5.50	
698	Zenas Martin,	12.28	
33	I. V. Clay,	6.00	
34	Charles Parker,	10.00	
35	Frank Pinkham,	3.50	
36	John G. Haley,	35.25	
37	Ed. Rowe,	2.70	
38	M. E. Tapley,	5.00	
39	Herman Emery,	16.72	
40	George W. Davis,	65.00	
733	W. G. York,	7.00	
	Amount Commissioner Hill's orders,		$730.57
	Amount Commissioner Harmon's orders brought forward,		238.96
	Amount Commissioner Owen's orders brought forward,		101.51
	Amount orders drawn,		$1,071.04
	Overdrawn Feb. 16, 1918,		2,007.98
			$3,079.02
	Town appropriation,	$1,200.00	
	Overdrawn Feb. 8, 1918,	1,879.02	
			$3,079.02

Orders Drawn for Support of Bridges and Culverts—Commissioner Owen

Order No.		
99	W. Dennett,	$ 2.25

176	Samuel Berry,	10.13
177	Walter Hill,	5.00
178	W. F. Owen,	7.00
179	W. F. Owen,	7.25
180	B. B. Blithen,	3.38
181	E. Hanson,	2.50
182	Samuel Sawyer,	20.12
183	W. Graffam,	2.25
184	Walter Hill, plank,	15.00
283	Walter Hill, plank,	20.00
284	W. F. Owen,	1.75
381	W. F. Owen,	6.88
382	Charles Watson,	9.00
383	W. Dennett,	1.14
444	George H. Thompson,	28.00
534	Walter Hill,	47.50
599	C. H. McKenney, plank,	243.18
600	Lester Ricker,	7.50
601	W. Dennett,	11.90
602	B. B. Blithen,	3.38
649	John Fogg,	5.00
699	Samuel Berry,	7.88
700	Wilbur F. Owen,	23.25
734	S. Meserve & Son,	2.34
756	Walter Hill,	15.00
796	Geo. W. Roberts, 1093 ft. plank,	38.25
852	G. M. Sawyer, material,	12.23
	Amount Commissioner Owen's Orders,	$559.06

Orders Drawn for Support of Bridges and Culverts—Commissioner Hill

Order No.		
15	R. L. Bradbury, stone and nails,	$ 1.95
101	A. J. Sawyer, nails,	1.81
285	M. E. Tapley,	4.50
286	Daniel Brackett,	7.50
287	Carroll Rounds,	7.50

389	Carroll M. Rounds,	2.50	
390	Daniel Brackett,	2.50	
434	Carroll Rounds,	6.25	
435	Everett Harmon, 2567 ft. plank,	77.01	
436	Daniel Brackett,	20.00	
437	Carroll Rounds,	13.75	
438	M. E. Tapley,	7.88	
439	Daniel Brackett,	3.75	
531	Fred W. McCorrison,	17.00	
532	Daniel Brackett,	5.00	
533	Carroll Rounds,	5.00	
566	O. G. Parker,	3.04	
567	Frank Rounds,	3.25	
568	Horace Thompson, labor and plank,	50.88	
607	H. E. Elwell,	2.25	
608	H. L. Brooks,	2.25	
645	Frank Rounds,	2.25	
646	Daniel Brackett,	15.00	
647	L. M. Martin, 732 ft. plank,	21.96	
813	E. M. Hill, labor,	31.50	
	Amount Commissioner Hill's Orders,		$316.28

Orders Drawn for Support of Bridges and Culverts—Commissioner Harmon

Order No.			
43	Soule Bros., lumber and nails,	$ 1.02	
757	L. L. Bradbury, lumber,	30.54	
	Amount Commissioner Harmon's Orders,		$31.56
	Amount Commissioner Hill's Orders brought ward,		316.28
	Amount Commissioner Owen's Orders brought forward,		559.06
	Amount Orders drawn,		$906.90
	Amount overdrawn, Feb. 16, 1918,		923.38
			$1,830.74

Town appropriation,	$ 800.00	
Credited from amount raised to pay outstanding obligations,	250.00	
Overdrawn Feb. 8, 1919,	780.74	
		$1,830.74

The town now has on hand approximately 2000 feet of new two and three inch plank, valued at $65.00, which can be used during 1919 in rebuilding bridges and culverts.

Orders Drawn for Cutting Bushes—Commissioner Hill

Order No.		
44	S. J. Hersum,	$4.00
427	Carroll Rounds,	7.50
428	Daniel Brackett,	2.87
429	John Treadwell,	4.50
430	Daniel Brackett,	2.50
431	Carroll Rounds,	2.50
432	M. E. Tapley,	13.50
433	Daniel Brackett,	7.50
514	Charles Parker,	5.00
515	M. E. Tapley,	4.50
569	Luther Weymouth,	7.50
570	Frank Rounds,	2.25
571	Frank Rounds,	2.25
572	Frank Rounds,	22.50
644	M. E. Tapley,	3.37
695	E. W. Stevens,	16.87
	Amount Commissioner Hill's orders,	$109.11

Orders Drawn for Cutting Bushes—Commissioner Owen

Order No.		
305	Samuel Sawyer,	$12.38
306	Samuel Sawyer,	2.25
307	George Corliss,	12.38
380	Norton Libby,	12.38
442	Norton Libby,	5.63

443	George Corliss,	4.50	
714	George A. Deering,	5.00	
755	W. F. Owen,	12.38	
	Amount Commissioner Owen's orders,		$66.90
	Amount Commissioner Hill's orders brought forward,		109.11
	Overdrawn Feb. 16, 1918,		140.38
			$316.39
	Town appropriation,	$200.00	
	Overdrawn Feb. 8, 1919,	116.39	
			$316.39

Janitors

Order No.			
67	W. A. Totman,	$30.00	
71	W. A. Totman,	30.00	
206	W. A. Totman,	28.00	
347	W. A. Totman,	32.00	
351	Common school janitors,	31.75	
511	W. A. Totman,	19.00	
554	W. A. Totman,	38.00	
679	W. A. Totman,	19.00	
683	W. A. Totman,	38.00	
767	W. A. Totman,	47.50	
768	Common school janitors,	20.00	
	Amount orders drawn,		$333.25

Fuel

Order No.		
16	W. T. Plummer, sawing wood,	$ 2.00
17	Henry Emmons, wood,	5.00
19	P. S. Brooks, coal,	116.05
20	P. S. Brooks, coal,	110.20
21	P. S. Brooks, wood,	26.83
75	P. S. Brooks, gasoline,	2.80

114	A. J. Smith, wood,	20.00
115	Andrew Flood, sawing wood,	3.00
120	Raymond E. Flanders, sawing wood,	8.05
127	Ernest H. Emery, moving coal,	2.50
198	Raymond E. Flanders, sawing wood,	2.50
200	W. A. Totman, wood,	4.50
340	H. W. Redlon, wood,	16.00
413	P. S. Brooks, gasoline and oil,	4.95
414	P. S. Brooks, coal,	247.56
464	Austin G. Gorham, wood,	15.00
472	W. G. York, wood,	12.00
473	W. G. York, wood,	50.00
474	W. G. York, wood,	50.00
478	W. G. York, wood,	50.00
495	P. S. Brooks, coal,	145.17
505	Ernest H. Emery, hauling wood,	2.50
630	W. P. Rounds, wood,	4.00
668	Austin G. Gorham,	22.00
669	Harold C. Blake, hauling wood,	5.00
670	A. Smith, wood,	48.00
717	James B. Carll, wood,	13.75
718	Alonzo Palmer, sawing wood,	1.50
721	W. G. York, wood,	7.00
752	A. J. Smith, wood,	48.00
754	James B. Elden, hauling wood,	6.75
787	Wallace Boothby, wood,	52.00
	Amount orders drawn,	$1,104.61

Transportation of Scholars

Order No.		
18	Rubie P. Blake,	$10.00
72	G. A. Pinkham,	39.00
73	Rubie Blake,	35.00
74	P. S. Brooks,	52.50
110	Charles Parker,	22.50
111	Ed. Plummer,	65.00
112	Ernest W. Parker,	6.00

113	Winfield Cousins,	15.00	
207	Rubie P. Blake,	15.00	
339	Clarence L. Deering,	33.00	
341	Ed. Plummer,	65.00	
342	Rubie P. Blake,	15.00	
343	Rubie P. Blake,	10.00	
417	Charles Parker,	10.00	
475	M. E. Tapley,	20.00	
557	M. E. Tapley,	20.00	
719	James B. Elden,	60.00	
720	M. E. Tapley,	14.00	
731	James B. Elden,	20.00	
838	M. E. Tapley,	20.00	
839	M. E. Tapley,	22.00	
840	M. E. Tapley,	22.00	
	Amount orders drawn,		$591.00

Orders Drawn for Support of Common Schools

Bills Approved by School Board

Expenditures

Order No.			
	Teaching:		
65	Teachers' salaries,	$544.00	
69	Teachers' salaries,	247.00	
204	Teachers' salaries,	537.00	
345	Teachers' salaries,	558.00	
349	Teachers' salaries,	300.00	
370	W. F. Cole, tuition town of Dayton,	6.00	
509	Teachers' salaries,	292.20	
552	Teachers' salaries,	656.00	
677	Teachers' salaries,	304.00	
681	Teachers' salaries,	635.20	
765	Teachers' salaries,	645.80	
	Paid for teaching,		$4,725.20

Paid for janitors,	333.25
Paid for fuel,	1,104.61
Paid for transportation of scholars,	591.00
Amount orders drawn,	$6,754.06
Amount overdrawn Feb. 16, 1918,	266.45
	$7,020.51

Town appropriation,	$2,809.00	
Common school fund,	1,886.35	
Mill tax,	1,538.18	
Received from town of Scarboro, proportion account Scarboro common school, $56.00 and $53.50; total,	109.50	
Due from town of Scarboro, proportion of teachers' salary fall term, 1918,	78.00	
Received from Florence Leighton, refund of salary paid,	24.00	
Amount overdrawn Feb. 8, 1919,	584.48	
		$7,020.51

Orders Drawn for Text Books

Bills Approved by School Board

Order No.		
336	E. E. Babb & Co.,	$ 3.44
337	E. E. Babb & Co.,	13.00
338	E. E. Babb & Co.,	16.68
366	Silver-Burdett & Co.,	7.20
367	Ginn & Co.,	12.39
368	Ginn & Co.,	3.00
369	Macmillan Co.,	33.68
411	American Book Co.,	3.93
500	John Flood, freight and trucking,	4.66
558	Houghton, Mifflin Co.,	1.83
684	Ginn & Co.,	38.43
685	American Book Co.,	9.56

727	Allyn & Bacon,	30.08	
738	Benj. H. Sanborn & Co.,	18.00	
739	John C. Winston Co.,	4.67	
772	John C. Flood, express and trucking,	3.57	
781	Ginn & Co.,	9.22	
782	Ginn & Co.,	2.67	
783	Ginn & Co.,	14.64	
829	World Book Co.,	4.71	
830	Macmillan Co.,	1.27	
831	Macmillan Co.,	6.60	
853	American Book Co.,	2.40	
			$245.63
	Balance unexpended Feb. 8, 1919,		150.84
			$396.47
Balance unexpended Feb. 16, 1918,		$46.47	
Town appropriation,		350.00	
			$396.47

Orders Drawn for School Supplies

Bills Approved by School Board

Order No.		
334	E. E. Babb & Co., supplies,	$11.70
335	E. E. Babb & Co., supplies,	12.49
364	C. M. Rice, Paper Co., toilet paper,	8.20
365	Talbot, Brooks & Ayer, Anti-Dust,	3.00
476	Shaw's Business College, high sch'l diplomas,	5.00
477	Loring, Short & Harmon, carbon paper,	2.50
536	Masury, Young Co., supplies,	3.00
636	John C. Flood, express paid and cartage,	3.52
686	E. E. Babb & Co., supplies,	37.14
687	Charles S. Sargent, supplies,	2.75
736	S. Meserve & Son, sweeping fluid,	6.00
761	James B. Elden, supplies,	.85
793	Hartford Printing Co., rank cards,	2.40
794	Dowling Supply Co., supplies,	27.25

795	R. L. Waterman, two brooms,		2.00
860	Milton, Bradley Co., supplies,		21.26
			$149.06
	Balance unexpended Feb. 8, 1919,		90.90
			$239.96
	Balance unexpended Feb. 16, 1918,	$39.96	
	Town appropriation,	200.00	
			$239.96

Orders Drawn for Repair School Property

Bills Approved by School Board

Order No.		
116	Ernest H. Emery, labor,	$5.05
117	F. E. Burnham, material for repairs,	32.00
119	A. H. Barnes, repairing clock West Buxton school,	1.00
196	Saco River Tel. & Tel. Co., batteries for Bar Mills school,	2.40
197	Raymond E. Flanders, repairs on engine, high school,	2.00
199	Raymond E. Flanders, setting up engine for high school, and trucking same,	6.00
359	Brackett, Shaw & Lunt Co., engine and magneto,	50.00
360	F. & C. B. Nash Co., repairing pump and tank,	7.05
361	F. & C. B. Nash Co., exchange of pump and repair of water system, Bar Mills school,	134.39
415	W. H. Sweet, paint for Groveville and Chicopee school,	8.25
463	W. H. Sweet, 1 gallon paint,	4.25
465	Mary Flood, cleaning Groveville schoolhouse,	2.50
466	George Thompson, repairing ventilators and painting, Bar Mills school,	71.64

467	A. J. Smith, labor on high school,	12.87
468	Annie Adams, cleaning high school,	8.63
469	C. B. Nash Co., repairing pump, Bar Mills school,	6.30
470	C. B. Nash Co., repairing water system, Bar Mills school,	31.75
471	Penn Metal Co., metal ceiling for Bog Mill school,	55.61
479	R. L. Waterman, labor on Bog Mill school,	7.95
503	Edwards & Walker Co., glass, hose and stepladder,	9.29
507	A. H. Bradbury, labor on high school,	19.25
624	A. H. Bradeen, labor and material on high school,	25.63
625	Frank Elden, labor and material on W. C. Webster school,	46.35
626	Frank Rounds, sanitary work,	5.50
627	Frank Rounds, sanitary work,	7.50
628	H. J. McLellan, labor and material on N. C. Watson schoolhouse,	59.20
629	Leroy Hartford, labor and material on W. C. Webster schoolhouse,	17.78
671	R. L. Waterman, labor on Bog Mill schoolhouse,	63.55
672	A. H. Barnes, glass and putty for West Buxton school,	1.38
673	Ernest F. Berry, sanitary work, Duck Pond school,	3.50
674	W. A. Totman, cleaning and repairing at Bar Mills school,	15.00
675	J. C. Coombs, setting glass, West Buxton school,	1.50
732	S. Meserve & Son, two oil heaters for Bar Mills school,	13.70
735	S. Meserve & Son, two chairs for Duck Pond school,	2.84

Orders Drawn for Repair of School Property

Order No.		
751	F. & C. B. Nash Co., labor on pump, high school,	7.60
753	L. L. Bradbury, lumber for repairs,	11.28
788	M. S. Spear, paint for Bog Mill school,	8.95
789	P. S. Brooks, labor and material on water system, Bar Mills school,	11.50
790	P. S. Brooks, batteries and gasoline,	6.75
791	B. & M. R. R., freight on roofing and nails,	.87
792	B. & M. R. R., storage of roofing,	.52
835	A. H. Bradeen, labor on horse sheds,	3.50
836	Edward Adams, labor on horse sheds,	3.60
837	Stewart Nichols, cleaning schoolhouse,	2.50
844	R. A. Bradbury, repairs for high school,	7.26
854	G. M. Sawyer, material for repairs,	33.89
863	Edwards & Walker, repairs for schoolhouses,	.70

Whole amount of orders drawn,	$840.53
Amount overdrawn Feb. 16, 1918,	316.85
	$1,157.38

Town appropriation,	$500.00	
Credit from amount raised to pay outstanding obligations,	500.00	
Amount overdrawn Feb. 8, 1919,	157.38	
		$1,157.38

Orders Drawn for High School Laboratory

Bills Approved by School Board

Order No.		
637	John C. Flood, express and cartage,	$2.15
665	Max C. Harmon, express paid,	1.40
666	H. H. Hay Sons, supplies,	1.25
667	H. H. Hay Sons, supplies,	25.24
730	Max C. Harmon, express paid,	.36

786	Kurtz Bros., supplies,		2.90
832	H. H. Hay Sons, supplies,		4.65
833	Edward E. Babb & Co., supplies,		21.75
834	L. E. Knott Apparatus Co., supplies,		21.68
861	McKinley Publishing Co., supplies,		1.75
862	Edwards & Walker, supplies,		7.57
	H. H. Hay Sons, supplies,		1.02
	Amount orders drawn,		$91.72
	Balance unexpended Feb. 16, 1918,	$103.69	
	Balance unexpended Feb. 8, 1919,		11.97
			$103.69

Orders Drawn for Repairing Heating System, High School

(Special)

Order No.		
358	Arthur B. Fels,	$370.00
	Amount orders drawn,	$370.00
	Town appropriation,	$370.00

Orders Drawn for Fuel and Janitor Service, High School

Bills Approved by School Board

Order No.		
20	P. S. Brooks, coal,	$220.40
21	P. S. Brooks, wood,	53.67
66	J. H. Bradbury, janitor service,	44.00
70	J. H. Bradbury, janitor service,	24.00
118	Ernest H. Emery, splitting wood,	9.37
120	Raymond E. Flanders, hauling and sawing wood,	16.10
127	Ernest H. Emery, moving coal,	5.00

205	J. H. Bradbury, janitor service,	32.00
346	J. H. Bradbury, janitor service,	32.00
350	J. H. Bradbury, janitor service,	24.00
496	P. S. Brooks, coal,	290.33
504	J. H. Bradbury, cutting and putting in wood,	7.25
506	J. H. Bradbury, putting in wood,	4.50
510	J. H. Bradbury, janitor service,	20.00
553	J. H. Bradbury, janitor service,	40.00
682	J. H. Bradbury, janitor service,	40.00
678	J. H. Bradbury, janitor service,	20.00
766	J. H. Bradbury, janitor service,	54.00
	Whole amount orders drawn,	$936.62
	Amount overdrawn Feb. 16, 1918,	557.34
		$1,493.96

Town appropriation,	$650.00	
Amount overdrawn Feb. 8, 1919,	843.96	
		$1,493.96

Orders Drawn for Support of High School

Bills Approved by School Board

Order No.		
64	High school teachers' salaries,	$241.78
68	High school teachers' salaries,	181.34
203	High school teachers' salaries,	241.78
344	High school teachers' salaries,	241.77
348	High school teachers' salaries,	181.34
508	High school teachers' salaries,	126.38
551	High school teachers' salaries,	249.98
676	High school teachers' salaries,	124.99
680	High school teachers' salaries,	249.98
764	High school teachers' salaries,	250.04
	Whole amount orders drawn,	$2,089.38

Balance unexpended Feb. 8, 1919,		349.47
		$2,438.85

Balance unexpended Feb. 16, 1918,	$138.85	
Town appropriation,	1,800.00	
Received from State,	500.00	
		$2,438.85

Orders Drawn for School Flags

Order No.		
418	S. Meserve & Son, 1 school flag,	$5.60
	Amount orders drawn,	$5.60

Town appropriation,	$15.00	
Balance unexpended Feb. 8, 1919,		9.40
		$15.00

Orders Drawn for Railing Highway, West Buxton to Hancock's Hill—Commissioner Hill (Special)

Order No.		
497	Rufus Deering Co., 100 cedar posts,	$36.90
499	George H. Davis, freight paid on cedar posts,	5.52
549	George H. Davis, labor and material,	16.76
550	Fred W. Smith, labor and trucking,	25.00
619	George W. Graffam, labor,	10.75
797	George W. Roberts, 1,975 ft. plank,	69.13
	Amount orders drawn,	$164.06

Town appropriation,	$150.00	
Appropriated from overlay and applied,	14.06	
		$164.06

Orders Drawn Account of School Physician

Bills Approved by School Board

Order No.		
820	A. G. Wiley, M. D.,	$25.00
	Amount orders drawn,	$25.00
	Town appropriation,	$25.00

Inventory of Personal Property on Town Farm February 8, 1919

10 tons hay,	$150.00	
1 ton oat straw,	8.00	
		$158.00

Farming Tools on Town Farm February 16, 1918

1 mowing machine	1 Democrat wagon
1 two-horse wagon	3 pitch forks
1 one-horse wagon	2 axes
1 dump cart	2 saws
1 grind stone	1 cross cut saw
1 set one-horse sleds	1 wheelbarrow
1 disc harrow	1 manure fork
1 leveling harrow	2 hoes
2 cultivators	1 corn planter
1 plow	1 logging chain
1 pung	1 drag rake
2 whiffletrees	1 washing machine
1 W. S. cream separator	

Orders Drawn for Support of Town Farm

Order No.			
191	Ivory Berry, suppers and breakfasts furnished five tramps,		$3.25
812	Ivory Berry, meals for six tramps,		3.90
	Amount orders drawn and carried to pauper account,		$7.15
	Cash paid to treasurer, account of standing grass (1918 crop),	$25.00	
	Cash received in excess of orders drawn,		17.85
			$25.00

Number of tramps, lodged and fed, 11.
Number of inmates, 0.

Orders Drawn for Support of J. Frank Merrill, Windham

Order No.		
48	A. J. Smith, wood,	$10.00
49	W. H. Baker, M. D., medical attendance,	4.00
108	W. H. Baker, M. D., medical attendance,	8.00
106	A. J. Smith, wood,	10.00
194	W. H. Baker, M. D., medical attendance,	5.00
323	W. H. Baker, M. D., medical attendance,	5.00
393	W. H. Baker, M. D., medical attendance,	6.00
394	W. H. Baker, M. D., medical attendance,	4.00
462	W. H. Baker, M. D., medical attendance,	4.00
799	J. E. Leavitt, groceries,	118.72
800	J. E. Leavitt, groceries,	5.72
801	A. J. Smith, wood,	45.00
	Amount orders drawn,	$225.44

Orders Drawn for Support of Emily Wells

Order No.		
53	Mrs. Fred S. Bradeen, board,	$22.50
103	Mrs. Fred S. Bradeen, board,	18.00
190	Mrs. Fred S. Bradeen, board,	18.00

316	Mrs. Fred S. Bradeen, board,	18.00
317	Mrs. Fred S. Bradeen, board,	22.50
395	Mrs. Fred S. Bradeen, board,	18.00
396	Mrs. Fred S. Bradeen, board,	22.50
456	Mrs. Fred S. Bradeen, board,	22.00
460	Mrs. Fred S. Bradeen, board,	18.00
656	Mrs. Fred S. Bradeen, board,	27.50
724	Mrs. Fred S. Bradeen, board,	22.00
775	Mrs. Fred S. Bradeen, board,	22.00
	Amount orders drawn,	$251.00

The Town of Buxton has received $251.00 from Mr. Fred R. Wells to settle this account.

Orders Drawn for Support of Hattie Towle

Order No.		
309	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	$10.00
310	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
311	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
312	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
313	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
609	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
610	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
611	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
612	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
613	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
614	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
615	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
616	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
617	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
618	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
715	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
716	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
743	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
744	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
777	George H. Knox, clothing,	10.48
810	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00

841	Mrs. Atwood L. Berry, board,	10.00
	Amount orders drawn,	$220.48

The town of Buxton has received $48.00 from relatives of Hattie Towle to apply on this account.

Orders Drawn for Support of Mary Thorne

Order No.		
50	W. H. Baker, M. D., medical attendance,	$ 4.00
51	H. A. Owen, M. D., medical attendance,	2.00
102	Julia Marshall, board and care,	40.50
107	W. H. Baker, M. D., medical attendance,	8.00
192	Julia Marshall, board and care,	18.00
193	W. H. Baker. M. D., medical attendance,	2 50
314	Julia Marshall, board and care,	18 00
315	Julia Marshall, board and care,	22 50
322	W. H. Baker, M. D., medical attendance,	7.00
398	Julia Marshall, board and care,	18 00
399	Julia Marshall, board and care,	22.50
480	Julia Marshall, board and care,	36.00
653	Julia Marshall. board and care,	22 50
725	Julia Marshall, board and care,	18.00
740	W. H. Baker, M. D., medical attendance,	4.00
741	W. H. Baker, M. D., medical attendance,	4.00
774	Julia Marshall. board and care,	18 00
811	A. G. Wiley, M. D., medical attendance,	11 00
845	W. H. Baker, M. D., medical attendance,	5 00
846	W. H. Baker, M. D., medical attendance,	6.00
	Amount orders drawn,	$287 50

Orders Drawn for Support of Mary Dodge

Order No.		
45	Ethel M. Bangs, board and care,	$20.00
46	Ethel M. Bangs, board and care,	20.00

47	P. S. Brooks, conveying Mary Dodge from Hollis to Buxton Center,	2.00
105	Mrs. John N. Bradeen, board and care,	18.00
126	Ethel M. Bangs, board and care,	10.00
318	Mrs. John N. Bradeen,	22.50
319	Mrs. John N. Bradeen,	22.50
391	Mrs. John N. Bradeen,	22.00
392	Mrs. John N. Bradeen,	27.50
457	Mrs. John N. Bradeen,	22.00
461	Mrs. John N. Bradeen,	22.50
655	Mrs. John N. Bradeen,	43.93
726	Mrs. John N. Bradeen,	40.00
776	Mrs. John N. Bradeen,	40.00
809	A. G. Wiley, M. D., medical attendance,	9.50
	Amount orders drawn,	$342.43

Orders Drawn for Support of Fannie Brooks

Order No.		
52	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board,	$10.00
104	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board,	12.50
195	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board,	10.00
320	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board,	12.00
321	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board,	15.00
397	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board,	12.00
458	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board,	12.00
459	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board,	12.00
545	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board,	15.00
654	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board,	12.00
742	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board,	12.00
847	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board,	15.00
	Amount orders drawn,	$149.50

Total Amount of Orders Drawn for Support of Poor

Amount of orders drawn for support of Mary Dodge,	$342.43
Amount of orders drawn for support of Mary Thorne,	287.50
Amount of orders drawn for support of Emily Wells,	251.00
Amount of orders drawn for support of Fannie Brooks,	149.50
Amount of orders drawn for support of J. Frank Merrill,	225.44
Amount of orders drawn for support of Hattie Towle,	220.48
Total amount for poor off Farm,	$1,476.35
Total amount Town Farm orders,	7.15
	$1,483.50

Balance unexpended Feb. 16, 1918,	$ 755.91	
Town appropriation,	1,000.00	
Amount received from sale of Town Farm property,	25.00	
Amount due from town of Windham, account of J. Frank Merrill,	225.44	
Amount received from Fred R. Wells, account of Emily Wells,	251.00	
Amount received from relatives of Hattie Towle,	48.00	
	$2,305.35	
Balance unexpended Feb. 8, 1919,		821.85
		$2,305.35

Orders Drawn for Support of Electric Lights at Bar Mills, Salmon Falls and Buxton Lower Corner

Order No.		
56	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Bar Mills,	$17.00
57	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Lower Corner,	8.00
58	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Salmon Falls,	6.00
133	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Salmon Falls,	6.00
134	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Lower Corner,	8.00
135	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Bar Mills,	17.00
185	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Salmon Falls,	6.00
186	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Lower Corner,	8.00
187	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Bar Mills,	17.00
324	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Lower Corner,	8.00
325	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Bar Mills,	17.00
326	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Salmon Falls,	6.00
327	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Salmon Falls,	6.00
328	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Bar Mills,	17.00
330	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Lower Corner,	8.00
400	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Salmon Falls,	6.00
401	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Lower Corner,	8.00
402	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Bar Mills,	17.00
489	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Salmon Falls,	6.00
490	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Bar Mills,	17.00
491	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Lower Corner,	8.00
516	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Lower Corner,	8.00
517	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Salmon Falls,	6.00
518	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Salmon Falls,	6.00
519	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Lower Corner,	8.00
520	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Bar Mills,	17.00
521	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Bar Mills,	17.00
769	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Salmon Falls,	12.00
770	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Bar Mills,	34.00
771	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Lower Corner,	16.00
855	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Lower Corner,	8.00
856	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Salmon Falls,	6.00
857	Clark Power & Lt. Co., lights, Bar Mills,	17.00
	Amount orders drawn,	$372.00

Town appropriation,	$296.00	
Unexpended balance Feb. 16, 1918,	76.00	
		$372.00

Orders Drawn for Support of Electric Lights at West Buxton, Buxton Center, etc.

Order No.		
69	Cumberland County Power & Light Co.,	$24.00
188	Cumberland County Power & Light Co.,	24.00
189	Cumberland County Power & Light Co.,	24.00
329	Cumberland County Power & Light Co.,	24.00
403	Cumberland County Power & Light Co.,	24.00
492	Cumberland County Power & Light Co.,	24.00
522	Cumberland County Power & Light Co.,	24.00
523	Cumberland County Power & Light Co.,	24.00
661	Cumberland County Power & Light Co.,	24.00
750	Cumberland County Power & Light Co.,	24.00
858	Cumberland County Power & Light Co.,	24.00
	Amount orders drawn,	$264.00

Town appropriation,	$138.00	
Unexpended balance Feb. 16, 1918,	150.64	
	$288.64	
Balance unexpended Feb. 8, 1919,		$24.64
		$288.64

Orders Drawn for John H. Came Post, G. A. R.

Order No.		
308	Frank J. Leavitt, Treasurer,	$25.00
	Amount orders drawn,	$25.00
	Town appropriation,	$25.00

Orders Drawn for Interest on Bank Loans

Order No.		
54	First National Bank, interest on note,	$25.00
55	First National Bank, interest on note,	5.56
493	First National Bank, interest on note,	75.00
494	First National Bank, interest on note,	25.00
498	First National Bank, interest on note,	25.00
546	First National Bank, interest on note,	50.00
547	First National Bank, interest on note,	25.00
548	First National Bank, interest on note,	6.25
664	First National Bank, interest on note,	4.17
728	First National Bank, interest on note,	37.50
746	First National Bank, interest on note,	25.00
747	First National Bank, interest on note,	4.17
748	First National Bank, interest on note,	16.67
	Amount orders drawn,	$324.32
	Balance unexpended Feb. 8, 1919,	14.15
		$338.47

Town appropriation,	$300.00	
Interest received on daily bank balances,	38.47	
		$338.47

Orders Drawn for Interest on Bonds and Bequests and Insurance

Order No.		
371	W. H. Perry, treasurer Buxton Center Cemetery Assn., interest due Dec. 1, 1917,	$68.00
416	Geo. P. Chase, assessment on insurance policy, high school building,	14.00
501	Vermont Mutual Fire Insurance Co., assessment on insurance policy,	24.40
512	Fidelity Trust Co., interest on bonds,	410.00
513	Fidelity Trust Co., interest on bonds,	30.00
662	W. H. Perry, treasurer Buxton Center Cemetery Assn., interest due Dec. 1, 1918,	68.00

729	H. H. Locke, premium on insurance policy, high school building,	14.00
745	Edwin A. Palmer, insurance on hay at Town Farm,	2.00
749	Geo. P. Chase Co., premium on insurance policy, high school building,	74.20
859	Fidelity Trust Co., interest on town bonds maturing Jan. 1, 1919,	440.00
	Amount orders drawn,	$1,144.60
	Amount overdrawn Feb. 16, 1918,	196.22
		$1,340.82
	Balance unexpended Feb. 8, 1919,	34.18
		$1,375.00
	Town appropriation,	$1,375.00

Overdrawn Accounts

Town appropriation to pay outstanding obligations,		$1,000.00
Amount appropriated to apply on repair of school property,	$500.00	
Amount appropriated to apply on support of bridges and culverts,	250.00	
Amount appropriated to apply on highway account,	250.00	
		$1,000.00

Sinking Fund Account Established March 2, 1914, to Take Care of Bonds Already Issued

1914		
Dec. 18.	Deposited in Buxton & Hollis Savings Bank,	$1,100.00
	Dividends to Sept. 1, 1918,	171.91

1916		
Feb. 19.	Deposited in First Nat'l Bank, Portland, Me.,	1,100.00
	Dividends to Oct. 1, 1918,	119.88
1917		
Feb. 21.	Deposited in Fidelity Trust Co., Portland, Me.,	1,100.00
	Dividends to Nov. 1, 1918,	75.10
1918		
Feb. 26.	Deposited in Chapman Nat'l Bank, Portland, Me.,	1,100.00
	Dividends to Oct. 1, 1918,	25.73
Oct.	Purchased United States Fourth Liberty Loan Registered Bonds,	1,100.00
Total,		$5,892.62

Trust Funds

Zenas P. Hanson, high school fund in hands of Town,	$5,300.00
Buxton Center Cemetery Association fund in hands of Town,	1,700.00
Mary E. Jones Cemetery Fund, 4th Liberty Loan Registered Bond,	500.00
Helen Marr McDonald Cemetery Fund, Buxton & Hollis Savings Bank,	411.66
	$7,911.66

Orders Drawn for Miscellaneous Expenses

Order No.		
60	American Surety Co., Treasurer's bond,	$20.00
62	W. A. Totman, postage and telephone,	1.41
76	Springvale Advocate, print'g town reports,	134.00
79	H. A. Owen, M. D., reporting births and deaths,	12.50

128	Raymond Flanders, sawing wood for Town Hall,	1.50
129	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies Selectmen's office,	34.90
130	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies Treasurer's office,	1.50
131	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies Selectmen's office,	3.15
132	Springvale Advocate, supplies Treasurer's office,	2.25
201	Frank M. Elwell, services as checker and ballot clerk, Mar., 1917 & '18, Sept., 1918,	6.00
2^8	Frank M. Elwell, error in valuation,	2.34
331	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies, Selectmen's office,	2.05
332	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies Clerk's office,	1.25
333	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies Clerk's office,	5.50
362	Charles H. Webster, services as gatekeeper primary election, June, 1918,	1.25
363	Walter H. Perry, services as gatekeeper, primary election, June, 1918,	1.25
372	Elmer J. Burnham, registrar, recording tax deeds,	1.56
373	Saco River Tel. & Tel. Co., toll calls,	.20
404	Charles H. Dean, recording births, marriages and deaths,	20.00
405	Charles H. Dean, painting bicycle signs,	6.25
406	Charles F. Sargent, Collector's supplies,	8.75
486	J. H. Bradbury, services as Election Clerk June and Sept., 1918,	5.00
487	Talbot, Brooks & Ayer, wire netting for Town Hall windows,	6.29
488	Thomas Atkinson, watching night of July 4th at Bar Mills,	2.00
496	G. H. Knox, conveying municipal officers,	11.55
537	Geo. E. Sawyer, services as Election Clerk June and Sept., 1918,	5.00

538	Walter H. Perry, services as gatekeeper, Sept., 1918,	2.50
539	Sumner Waterman, services as ballot clerk June and Sept., 1918,	5.00
540	Raymond Tarbox, services as gatekeeper Sept., 1918,	2.50
541	Hiram Willard, legal services in Union Falls Bridge case,	144.38
542	Mrs. E. H. Adams, cleaning Selectmen's office,	1.25
543	A. H. Barnes, glass for Town House,	3.15
544	Saco River Tel. & Tel. Co., toll call,	.10
638	George A. Rounds, services as Election Clerk, June and Sept., 1918,	5.00
639	Charles H. Dean, lettering and setting guide boards,	20.50
663	G. H. Knox, conveying municipal officers,	4.80
763	J. E. Leavitt, supplies for Walter Johnson during scarlet fever quarantine,	24.77
773	W. H. Perry, repair'g windows Town Hall,	17.17
778	Emery, Waterhouse & Paquin, written legal opinions relative to school matters,	10.00
779	Geo. H. Knox, expenses attending meeting of Board State Assessors, Augusta,	9.50
780	Geo. H. Knox, convey'g municipal officers,	4.80
802	A. G. Wiley, M. D., medical attendance for Walter Johnson during scarlet fever,	25.00
815	Saco River Tel. & Tel., toll call,	.10
816	C. H. Dean, recording births and deaths,	7.02
817	Loring, Short & Harmon, office supplies,	.70
818	Charles H. Webster, postage and notice of sale of tax deeds,	17.65
819	A. G. Wiley, M. D., reporting births and deaths, 1918,	3.25
827	W. C. Waterman, incidental expenses,	19.50
828	George H. Davis, incidental expenses,	4.93
842	South Buxton Cemetery Assn., grading, seeding and fertilizing six burial lots owned by Town,	14.75

843	South Buxton Cemetery Assn., cleaning old Parish burying ground,	6.00
848	F. W. McCorrison, office supplies for Treasurer,	24.03
849	N. H. Atkinson, collecting dog tax,	20.00
850	N. H. Atkinson, watching July 3 and 4,	4.00
851	S. Meserve & Son, material for fumigating,	13.25
864	C. F. Sargent, office supplies for Collector,	1.00
867	Mrs. Annette E. Stevens, Mothers' Aid from May 25 to Oct. 1, 1918,	42.00
868	Mrs. Annette E. Stevens, Mothers' Aid for October and November,	20.00
		$776.05

Orders Drawn for Contingent Expenses

Order No.		
61	W. A. Totman, services as Selectman, Assessor, etc., in full, 1917 and 1918,	$15.00
63	G. H. Knox, services as Selectman in part,	18.00
77	Fred Benson, services as Superintendent of Schools,	20.83
78	F. W. Harmon, inspecting chimneys,	10.00
121	George H. Davis, services as Selectman and Assessor in full, 1917 and 1918,	24.00
122	W. C. Waterman, services as Selectman and Assessor in full, 1917 and 1918,	30.00
123	G. H. Knox, services as Selectman in part,	40.50
124	Fred Benson, services as Superintendent of Schools,	20.83
125	Ernest H. Emery, services as member of School Board,	12.00
202	Fred Benson, services as Superintendent of Schools,	20.83
352	G. H. Davis, services as Selectman in part,	50.00
353	G. H. Knox, services as Selectman in part,	24.00
354	G. H. Knox, services as Selectman in part,	16.50

355	W. C. Waterman, services as Selectman in part,	60.00
356	Fred Benson, services as Sup't of Schools,	20.83
357	Fred Benson, services as Sup't of Schools,	20.83
407	Charles H. Dean, services as Town Clerk,	10.00
408	Fred Benson, services as Sup't of Schools,	25.00
409	Fred Benson, services as Sup't of Schools,	25.00
410	G. H. Davis, services as Selectman in part,	50.00
481	G. H. Knox, services as Selectman in part,	40.50
482	W. C. Waterman, services as Selectman in part,	50.00
483	Ernest H. Emery, services as member of School Board,	8.00
484	R. L. Waterman, services as member of School Board in full,	13.00
485	Fred Benson, services as Sup't of Schools,	25.00
620	G. H. Davis, services as Selectman in part,	35.00
621	William A. Merrill, services as Auditor, 1917 and 1918,	5.00
622	William A. Merrill, services as Moderator, March 4, 1918,	5.00
623	Charles H. Webster, services as Constable in part,	15.00
657	Fred W. McCorrison, services as Treasurer in part, 1918,	50.00
658	Charles H. Webster, services as Collector in part, 1918,	250.00
659	G. H. Knox, services as Selectman in part,	30.00
660	Fred Benson, services as Sup't of Schools,	25.00
737	W. C. Waterman, services as Selectman in part,	50.00
556	Fred Benson, services as Sup't of Schools,	25.00
759	Fred Benson, services as Sup't of Schools,	25.00
760	James B. Elden, services as member of School Board to Jan. 1, 1919,	17.00
784	Fred Benson, services as Sup't of Schools,	25.00
785	Geo. H. Knox, services as Selectman, etc.,	35.00
821	Frank Weymouth, services as Fire Warden, 1918,	5.00

822	W. C. Waterman, services as Selectman to Feb. 8, 1919,	68.50
823	George H. Davis, services as Selectman to Feb. 8, 1919,	37.50
824	Charles H. Webster, services as Collector to Feb. 8, 1919,	183.57
825	C. H. Dean, services as Clerk to Feb. 8, '19,	10.00
866	F. W. McCorrison, services as Treas. in full,	50.00
		$1,597.22
	Amount orders drawn for Miscellaneous account brought forward,	776.05
	Amount overdrawn Feb. 16, 1918,	644.83
		$3,018.10

Town appropriation,	$1,700.00
Received for Ad. in town report, 1919,	1.50
Received from State, refund on dog licenses, 1917,	15.37
Received from State, R. R. & Tel. tax,	40.95
Received from State for burial soldier's widow, 1917,	35.00
Received from sale of tax deeds,	33.60
Due from town of Waterboro, account quarantine Walter Johnson's family during scarlet fever,	49.77
Received for grass, Union Falls Schoolhouse lot,	1.00
Received from State, 50% of amount paid for Mothers' Aid,	21.00
Due from State, 50% of amount paid for Mothers' Aid,	10.00
Received from County for examination of blind, 1915,	8.00
Received of Florence E. Leighton, of salary paid,	24.00
Appropriated from overlay and applied,	557.06

Amount overdrawn Feb. 8, 1919,	5,208.85	
		$3,018.10

Abatements and Overlay

Order No.		
	Appropriated from Overlay and applied to Contingent Account,	557.06
	Appropriated from Overlay and applied to West Buxton to Hancock's Hill Railing Account,	14.06
869	Chas. H. Webster, abatements, 1917 acc't,	8.00
870	Chas. H. Webster, abatement, 1918 acc't,	87.60
		$666.72
	Overlay in assessment,	$666.72

Abatements Accounts, 1919

Delinquent Tax Payers, 1918

Walter Dodge, can't be found,	$2.00	
Stephen H. Flaherty, can't be found,	2.00	
Bert Hanscomb, can't be found,	2.00	
Clifford Stevens, can't be found,	2.00	
		$8.00

Delinquent Tax Payers, 1918

Jefferson Huff,	$2.00	
William G. McClure,	2.00	
		$4.00

Delinquent Tax Payers, 1919

George F. Davis,	$5.36	
Arthur Joy,	2.00	
		$7.36

Abatements Account, 1919

Charles Andrews, paid in Westbrook,	$4.24
Thomas E. Andrews, paid in Westbrook,	2.00
Charles H. Boothby, paid in Randolph,	2.00
F. E. Burnham, paid in Hollis,	2.00
Albert Burchard, out of Town,	2.00
Arthur Emery, paid in Woodfords,	2.00
Thomas E. Forrest, paid in Portland,	2.00
Ansel Hanson, can't be found,	2.00
J. R. Libby, heirs of, error in valuation,	3.36
Millard Palmer, can't be found,	2.00
Bert Hanscomb, can't be found,	2.00
Chester Judd, can't be found,	2.00
M. F. Richards, paid in Portland,	2.00
Charles Staples, paid in Portland,	2.00
Clarence Sawyer, deceased,	2.00
Leroy Berry, soldier,	2.00
William H. Berry, soldier,	2.00
James A. Brackett, soldier,	2.00
Lawrence Brackett, soldier,	2.00
Fred S. Bradeen, Jr., soldier,	2.00
Lester Coombs, soldier,	2.00
Sidney Flwell, soldier,	2.00
Alfred Emery, soldier,	2.00
Hobert Hargraves, soldier,	2.00
Harold Hutchinson, soldier,	2.00
Lawrence Hutchinson, soldier,	2.00
Ralph Hutchinson, soldier,	2.00
E. H. Holman, soldier,	2.00
Alfred Libby, soldier,	2.00
Perley McLellan, soldier,	2.00

Edgar Nichols, soldier,	2.00	
Charles Sargent, soldier,	2.00	
Lloyd Sargent, soldier,	2.00	
Arthur Sawyer, soldier,	2.00	
William W. Smith, soldier,	2.00	
Harold Sawyer, soldier,	2.00	
Ralph Smith, soldier,	2.00	
H. A. Snell, soldier,	2.00	
Ethan Smith, soldier,	2.00	
Mark Towle, soldier,	2.00	
Verdell Waterman, soldier,	2.00	
W. C. Webster, soldier,	2.00	
		$87.60

Tax Deed Account

Order No.		
826	Charles H. Webster, amount paid by Town of Buxton for real estate sold for taxes,	$ 11.70
	Amount tax deeds in treasury,	236.55
	Total amount tax deeds held by Treasurer,	$248.25

Whole number of orders drawn, 870; amounting to $23,139.12.

Respectfully submitted,

WILBUR C. WATERMAN,
GEORGE H. DAVIS,
GEORGE H. KNOX,
Selectmen of Buxton.

Treasurer's Report.

1918		Dr.	Cr.
Mar. 6.	To balance from P. S. Brooks, Treas., 1917,	$4,188.82	
Mar. 6.	To cash from P. S. Brooks, Town Farm account, 1917,	54.69	
Mar. 6.	To rec'd from Town of Windham, account of J. F. Merrill, 1917,	268.74	
Mar. 14.	To First Nat'l B'k, loan,	3,000.00	
Mar. 14.	By paid First Nat'l Bank loan of 1917,		3,000.00
Mar. 16.	To First Nat'l B'k, loan,	1,000.00	
Mar. 16.	By paid First Nat'l Bank, loan of 1917,		1,000.00
May 3.	To First Nat'l B'k, loan,	1,000,00	
May 18.	To Town of Scarboro, common school acc't,	56.00	
May 24.	To First Nat'l B'k, loan,	2,000.00	
May 25.	To Margaret Cummings for board Mrs. Hattie Towle,	4.00	
June 21.	To Cole Bros. for Wm. Moses tax deed,	15.88	
June 21.	To First Nat'l B'k, loan,	1,500.00	
July 2.	To State Treasurer for burial soldier's widow,	35.00	
July 3.	To First Nat'l B'k, loan,	1,000.00	
July 10.	To F. R. Wells for board of Emily Wells,	76.50	
Aug. 6.	To C. H. Dean, dog tax,	130.00	

Aug. 29.	By paid State Treasurer,		
Aug. 23.	To First Nat'l B'k, loan,	500.00	
	dog tax,		130.00
Aug. 29.	By paid soldiers' depend'ts,		173.07
Sept. 7.	To Gardner Flood, for Mary Jones bequest,	500.00	
Sept. 14.	To First Nat'l B'k, loan,	3,000.00	
Sept. 14.	By paid First Nat'l B'k, loan,		3,000.00
Sept. 16.	By paid First Nat'l B'k, loan,		1,000.00
Sept. 17.	To State Treasurer, ac't soldiers' dependents,	173.07	
Sept. 18.	To rec'd for Town Farm grass,	25.00	
Sept. 18.	To rec'd for grass Union school lot,	1.00	
Sept. 18.	To Everett Towle for b'd Mrs. Hattie Towle,	30.00	
Sept. 18.	To Town of Scarboro, common school acc't,	53.50	
Oct. 12.	To State Treas., account dependent mothers,	6.00	
Oct. 12.	To rec'd for tax deed,	6.52	
Oct. 15.	To F. R. Wells for board Emily Wells,	81.00	
Oct. 19.	By paid First Nat'l B'k, loan,		1,500.00
Oct. 19.	By p'd for Liberty Bonds for reserve fund,		1,100.00
Oct. 19.	By p'd for Liberty Bonds amount Mary Jones bequest,		500.00
Oct. 31.	To First Nat'l B'k, loan,	1,000.00	
Nov. 2.	By p'd First Nat'l Bank, loan,		1,000.00
Nov. 4.	By paid County Treas., one-half County tax,		612.05

Nov. 11.	To cash J. B. Elden, for grass Mary Dodge place,	3.00	
Nov. 12.	To First Nat'l B'k, loan,	500.00	
Nov. 21.	To First Nat'l B'k, loan,	2,000.00	
Nov. 21.	By paid First National Bank, loan,		2,000.00
Nov. 22.	By paid First National Bank, loan,		500.00
Nov. 29.	By paid First National Bank, loan,		1,000.00
Dec. 2.	By paid State Treasurer, State tax,		7,189.31
Dec. 2.	To dog licenses refunded 1917,	15.37	
Dec. 2.	To school & mill funds,	1,538.18	
Dec. 2.	To common school funds,	1,886.35	
Dec. 2.	To R. R. and Tel. tax,	40.95	
Dec. 9.	By paid First National Bank, loan,		3,000.00
Dec. 11.	To County Treas., for examination blind 1915,	8.00	
Dec. 16.	To State Treasurer, ac'ct dependent mothers,	15.00	
Dec. 23.	By paid C. H. Webster on Mary Dodge tax,		3.00
Dec. 23.	By paid County Treas., balance county tax,		612.05
Dec. 28.	To State Treasurer, acc't free high school,	500.00	
Dec. 31.	To Florence E. Leighton, common school acc't,	24.00	
Jan. 3.	By paid First National Bank, loan,		1,000.00
Jan. 7.	By paid First National Bank, loan,		500.00
Jan. 20.	By paid First National Bank, loan,		2,000.00
Jan. 24.	By paid State aid pensions,		588.00

Jan. 27.	To Everett Towle, for b'd Mrs. Hattie Towle,	14.00	
Feb. 7.	To received State aid pensions refunded,	588.00	
Feb. 8.	To received for Staples tax deed,	11.20	
Feb. 8.	To received from M. F. Dearborn, Ad., Town Report, 1918,	1.50	
Feb. 8.	To received from F. R. Wells for board of Emily Wells,	93.50	
Feb. 8.	To received for interest on checking account,	38.47	
Feb. 8.	By paid to soldiers' dependents,		297.21
Feb. 18.	To received from C. H. Webster for delinquent taxes, 1917,	20.69	
Feb. 8.	By Town orders,		23,139.12
Feb. 8.	To received from C. H. Webster, Collector, account 1918 taxes,	29,007.33	
Feb. 8.	By cash in treasury,		1,167.45
		$56,011.26	$56,011.26

Bills Payable Account

1918			
Feb. 16.	To balance brought over from 1917 First National Bank, Portland,	$ 4,000.00	
	To loans made during 1918,	16,500.00	
	By loans paid during 1918,		$20,500.00
		$20,500.00	$20,500.00

Respectfully submitted,

FRED W. McCORRISON,

Treasurer, 1918.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Of the Town of Buxton For the Year Ending February 8, 1919.

LIABILITIES

Town Bonds outstanding,	$22,000.00
Town bills outstanding, estimated,	75.00
Buxton Center Cemetery fund,	1,700.00
Zenas P. Hanson High School fund,	5,300.00
Repairs, Dunnell Bridge,	175.00
State Aid highway,	645.00
Pauper Account,	821.85
Electric Lights, West Buxton etc.,	24.64
Interest on Bank loan,	14.15
Interest on bonds, bequests and insurance,	34.18
Support High School,	349.47
High School laboratory,	11.97
Text books,	150.84
School supplies.	90.90
Schoolhouse flags,	9.40
	$31,402.40

RESOURCES

Cash on hand,	$1,167.45
Reserve fund invested,	5,892.62
Tax deeds,	248.25
Dog tax, estimated,	30.00
Delinquent tax bills,	11.36
Due from estate of Theodore Hanson,	73.50
Due from State for Aid to Soldiers' dependents	,297.21
Liabilities above resources,	23,682.01
	$31,402.40

Respectfully submitted,

FRED W. McCORRISON,
Treasurer, 1918.

Auditor's Report

I have examined the books and accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer and Collector of the Town of Buxton for the year ending February 8, 1919, and find books properly balanced and all bills vouched for.

WILLIAM L. MERRILL, Auditor.

February 18, 1919.

THE BUXTON SCHOLARSHIP

Bowdoin College, March 7, 1918.

To the Selectmen of Buxton:

Sirs:—I hand you herewith my Annual Report in regard to the Buxton Scholarship Fund; showing how it is invested, the amount thereof, and the receipts and payments since the date of my last Report, &c., &c.

SAMUEL B. FURBISH,
Treasurer of the College.

Amount of fund March 1, 1917,	$4,613.78
¼ income to principal,	40.00
Balance income to principal March 31, 1917,	20.00
Amount of fund, March 1, 1918,	$4,673.78
Invested as follows:	
$4,000 Portland Water Co. 4% bond,	$4,140.00
Portland Savings Bank deposit,	533.78
Amount of investment March 1, 1918,	$4,673.78

Income Account

Balance March 1, 1917,	$137.50	
Receipts for year to March 1, 1918,	160.00	
Amount of income for year,		$297.50
Transferred to fund March 31, 1917,	$ 60.00	
Paid Gordon S. Hargraves,	100.00	
Balance to credit of income Mar. 1, 1918,	137.50	
		$297.50

Town Clerk's Report.

For the Year Ending February 10, 1919

Number of marriages recorded to Feb. 10, 1919,	12
Number of births recorded to Feb. 10, 1919,	17
Number of deaths recorded to Feb. 10, 1919,	39
Amount received for dog licenses,	$130.00

Marriages

1918

May 11. In Buxton, by Rev. F. E. Freese, Frank D. Rounds and Lura Adams, both of Buxton.

June 2. In Buxton, by Rev. F. E. Freese, Harold Lawrence Brackett of Buxton and Julia Fay Waldron of Scarboro.

July 20. In Buxton, by Rev. F. E. Freese, Roy Burnham Hill of Standish and Marcia Ellen Dennett of Hollis.

July 24. In Buxton, by Rev. F. E. Freese, Harry B. Woodman of Hollis and Mildred Cecil Garland of Buxton.

Aug. 12. In Old Orchard, by Rev. Alexander Hamilton, Alvin Foss Thompson and Olive Augusta Cassin, both of Buxton.

Sept. 2. In Portland, by Rev. John F. Holohan, William Ellsworth Loring of Buxton and Katherine Louise Welch of Portland.

Sept. 7. In Buxton, by Rev. William H. Cotton, John H. Merrill of Saco and Mrs. Cora B. Harmon of Buxton.

Oct. 12. In Hollis, by Rev. William H. Cotton, Lawrence Alton Sawyer of Buxton and Mildred Frances Johnson of Hollis.

Oct. 24. In Buxton, by Rev. F. E. Freese, John Axon and Hattie Littlefield, both of Buxton.

1919

Jan. 1. In Gorham, by Rev. W. B. Hague, Albert Lincoln Roberts of Gorham and Eva Myrtle Deering of Buxton.

Jan. 13. In Biddeford, by Rev. L. C. Holmes, Gerald E. Cressey of Buxton and Ida Mildred Earl of Saco.

Jan. 25. In Buxton, by Rev. Charles F. Sargent, Zeba W. Junkins and Georgianna Marston, both of Buxton.

Births

1917

Aug. 16. To Sam'l and Elizabeth E. Rankin, a daughter.

1918

Apr. 1. To Henry and Jennie Daniels, a daughter.

Apr. 4. To William C. and Ethel Cousins, a daughter.

Apr. 8. To G. A. and Alma Pinkham, a daughter.

May 28. To John and Ina Fogg, a daughter.

June 10. To Wm. H. and Blanche M. Marston, a son.

July 9. To Erland J. and Carrie M. Knights, a son.

July 22. To Frank O. and Josephine B. Sturgis, a son.

Aug. 4. To Watson W. and Carrie A. Phillips, a son.

Sept. 2. To Ernest W. & Lizzie L. Parker, a daughter.

Sept. 8. To Freeman M. and Grace Rose, a daughter.

Sept. 9. To Amos and Essie Woodbury, a son.

Oct. 21. To Alfred and Georgianna Provost, a son.

Oct. 24. To Algernon & Bertha A. Bradeen, a daughter.

Oct. 29. To Harry B. and Etta Dyer, a son.

1919

Jan. 16. To James B. and Susie Waterman, a daughter.

Jan. 22. To William B., Jr., and Marion E. Hague, a daughter.

Deaths

1918

Feb. 10. Elias Sanborn, age 91 yrs. 10 mos.; acute Bright's disease.

Feb. 26. Edwin L. Towle, age 68 yrs. 1 mo. 17 days; acute nephritis.

Mar. 20. Harry V. Totman, age 74 yrs. 1 mo. 11 days; chronic prostatitis.

Mar. 23. James F. Waterman, age 79 yrs. 7 mos. 3 days; senile dementia.

Mar. 27. Aroline Berry, age 76 yrs. 6 mos. 4 days; acute indigestion.

Apr. 11. Lucy De Shon, age 75 yrs. 9 mos. 30 days; acute nephritis.

Apr. 15. Joseph P. Martin, age 76 yrs. 6 mos. 7 days; ulcers of duodenum.

Apr. 19. Eva L. Nason, age 64 yrs. 11 mos. 7 days; oedema of glottis.

June 19. Juliette Palmer, age 60 yrs. 11 mos. 15 days; (chronic) pulmonary tuberculosis.

July 10. Annie M. Rankin, age 62 yrs. 6 mos. 4 days; carcinoma of breast.

July 22. Baby Sturgis; stillborn.

Aug. 3. William F. Emery, age 64 yrs. 4 mos. 7 days; cerebral hemorrhage.

Aug. 4. Baby Phillips; stillborn.

Sept. 9. George W. Milliken, age 74 yrs. 4 mos. 8 days; cerebral hemorrhage.

Oct. 12. Lewis C. Berry, age 69 yrs. 23 days; valvular heart disease.

Oct. 23. Eugene D. Willey, age 45 yrs.; acute labor pneumonia.

Oct. 28. Charles Harnois, age 39 yrs.; acute pneumonia.

Nov. 25. Anna M. Moulton, age 95 yrs. 10 mos. 4 days; gangrene from arterio-sclerosis.

Dec. 12. Cecil B. Smith, age 18 yrs. 5 mos. 26 days; bronchial pneumonia.

Dec. 15. Ethel M. Townsend, age 35 yrs. 9 mos. 7 days; labor pneumonia.

Dec. 22. Eva E. Nelson, age 29 yrs. 11 mos. 28 days; bronchial pneumonia.

Non-Residents Interred in Buxton

1918

Feb. 1. John A. Knight, age 93 yrs. 1 mo. 23 days; senile dementia. Auburn.

Feb. 26. Ellen M. Emery, age 78 yrs. 9 mos. 8 days; Bright's disease. Gorham.

Mar. 15. Harriet Lang, age 83 yrs. 17 days; apoplexy. Saco.

Mar. 18. Ada Smith, age 28 yrs. 7 mos. 19 days; meningitis. Waterboro.

Mar. 22. John Francis Bradbury, age 68 yrs. 6 mos. 2 days. Bennington, Vt.

Apr. 6. Clara J. Milliken, age 55 yrs. 4 mos.; cerebral hemorrhage, Saco.

Apr. 18. Martha J. Elwell, age 74 yrs. 4 mos. 6 days; cerebral hemorrhage. Saco.

May 6. Fred Thomas De Shon, age 51 yrs. 9 mos. 10 days. Landry's paralysis.

May 15. Bertha G. Elwell, age 37 yrs.; pulmonary tuberculosis. Portland.

May 17. John R. Ricker, age 78 yrs. 10 mos.; prostatitis. Sanford.

May 30. Molly E. Richards, age 43 yrs. 7 mos. 30 days; cerebral hemorrhage. Portland.

June 17. Sarah J. Cressey, age 82 yrs. 11 mos. 16 days; pleuro-pneumonia. Hollis.

July 9. Ernest Eugene Bradbury, age 65 yrs. 2 mos. 8 days; chronic nephritis. Dorchester, Mass.

July 20. Elinor M. Haley, age 1 yr. 2 days, acute enteritis. Portland.

Aug. 4. Annie Turner Marshall, age 82 yrs. 5 mos.; arterio-sclerosis. Thomaston, Conn.

Sept. 9. Charles O. Waterman, age 63 yrs. 9 mos. 24

days; cerebral hemorrhage. Gorham.

Dec. 1. David W. Jordan, age 38 yrs. 7 mos. 16 days; broncho pneumonia. Alfred.

Dec. 25. Doris S. Tibbetts, age 27 yrs. 7 mos. 19 days; bronchial pneumonia. Everett, Mass.

Dog Taxes

J. B. Berry,	Male	Dog.
W. F. Owen,	"	"
F. E. Burnham,	"	"
N. H. Atkinson,	"	"
W. M. Cousins,	"	"
W. H. Spiller,	"	"
C. M. Elden,	"	"
H. R. Smith,	"	"
S. A. Waterman,	"	"
J. M. Stevens,	"	"
W. B. Hague, Jr.,	"	"
G. A. Rounds,	"	"
Miss Margaret Cole,	"	"
Mrs. Nettie Stevens,	"	"
Simon Nason,	"	"
Arthur Weeman,	"	"
William Wallace,	"	"
A. F. Elwell,	"	"
S. S. Kelso,	"	"
William Wiggin,	"	"
Ivory Berry,	"	"
J. F. Pike,	"	"
A. E. Harmon,	"	"
L. A. Sawyer,	"	"
W. B. Foye,	"	"
Frank Barrett,	"	"
M. O. Richards,	"	"
M. O. Richards,	"	"

Clifford Jose,	"	"
F. S. Bradeen,	"	"
A. P. Libby,	"	"
R. L. Waterman,	"	"
F. F. Davis,	"	"
C. C. Palmer,	"	"
O. G. Parker,	"	"
J. H. Emery,	"	"
H. F. Hutchinson,	"	"
G. A. Deering,	"	"
C. L. Deering,	"	"
Bartlett Hanson,	"	"
I. T. Eaton,	"	"
S. W. Haley,	"	"
Miss Rilla Waterhouse,	"	"
Fred T. Eaton,	"	"
C. H. Smith,	"	"
F. O. Boothby,	"	"
E. W. Stevens,	"	"
Henry Emery,	"	"
H. L. Brooks,	"	"
J. F. Nason,	"	"
W. H. Marston,	"	"
J. A. Fogg,	"	"
Emory Humes,	"	"
Emory Humes,	"	"
James Clough,	"	"
Henry Thibadeau,	"	"
Henry Thibadeau,	"	"
Mrs. Joseph Leavitt,	"	"
Lawrence Johnson,	"	"
Norman Owen,	"	"
E. M. Hill,	"	"
W. H. Parker,	"	"
F. E. Waterman,	"	"
T. P. Rounds,	"	"
A. T. Elwell,	"	"
A. F. Wiggin,	"	"
B. A. Bradbury,	"	"

R. K. Veazie,	"	"
C. S. D. Nichols,	"	"
Ezra Berry,	"	"
W. W. Phillips,	"	"
P. A. Berry,	"	"
Chester Googins,	"	"
D. W. Hayes,	"	"
T. H. Owen,	"	"
Harry Wallace,	"	"
L. G. Elwell,	"	"
W. H. Perry,	"	"
Mrs. W. S. Stokell,	"	"
B. B. Blethen,	"	"
A. W. Soule,	"	"
H. A. Owen,	"	"
C. T. Patrick,	"	"
H. E. Smith,	"	"
W. H. Rowe,	"	"
Wilbur Douglass,	"	"
F. L. Rounds,	"	"
Arthur Pinkham,	"	"
Ernest Parker,	"	"
M. S. Harmon,	"	"
C. S. Downes,	"	"
Harris Elwell,	"	"
E. R. Rankin,	"	"
C. A. Emery,	"	"
A. P. Libby,	Female Dog.	
Jessie Ramsey,	"	"
A. F. Wiggin,	"	"
P. A. Berry,	"	"
Charles Sargent,	"	"
E. R. Hanson,	"	"
C. M. Staples,	"	"

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES. H. DEAN,
Clerk of Buxton.

SCHOOL REPORT.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the S. S. Committee and Citizens:

It is with regret that we have to report the conditions which have, during the year closed, been detrimental to the work in schools, viz: the shortage of teachers and the great amount of sickness. Throughout the State the shortage of teachers was at least two thousand. This has been noticeable in this Town to quite a degree. However, by persistent efforts on my part a teacher was provided for each school on time for them to open in September as scheduled. Two weeks later we were obliged to close all schools by order of the Board of Health because of the spread of Spanish influenza. The schools were closed several weeks and when reopened numerous cases were noted where parents did not dare send the children for a time. Other cases were investigated and found that the disease was still with some member of the family, thereby excusing such children from attendance.

Such an unusual amount of sickness has seriously disturbed the work of the schools. The average attendance for the fall term was lower than usual, and the progress of the schools was lessened. This applies to nearly all if not all the towns in the State, and frequent reports show that many towns have suffered more than we have.

School War Activities

The children have co-operated in every way possible to assist in winning the victory which the Nation so gladly

welcomes. Every school had its organization of the Junior Red Cross, and the work accomplished received its share of credit.

Through the schools much was done toward an increased sale of Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps. The schools of the Town contributed more than their quota for the War Work Campaign.

Many of the pupils were purchasers of Liberty Bonds and several instances were noted whereby boys through their own labors bought and paid the necessary amounts for such bonds. Several features in this connection might be mentioned, but it seems unnecessary, as only favorable reports are due them.

Boys' and Girls' Clubs

This movement is worthy of much encouragement. It teaches the boys and girls to perform their labor by using methods that are modern and scientific. Instruction is given in all phases of the work, whether gardening, poultry raising, canning or any of the forms of club organization. This instruction comes free from the State College of Agriculture through its County Agents.

These clubs have been very helpful in solving the food problems throughout the Country during the past year, and their needs are great still. The benefits to the children and community are of paramount importance.

State Course of Study

The State Department of Education has been arranging a new course of study for the elementary schools in accordance with a recent enactment of the Legislature. This work, though having been in progress two years, is not complete, and copies are not available for distribu-

tion. I have received advance sheets of the plan as far as completed and have made typewritten copies of some subjects to be placed in the hands of the teachers.

This new plan of work for the schools should be decidedly a help in arranging the subjects and requirements for each so that the different towns of the State may be following more closely the same lines of work. Anyway, it will bring the work within a range so that more similarity will result. When it is placed in the hands of the teachers, they will be held strictly responsible for following it in detail as far as the conditions of their respective schools will permit. It shows quite a departure from former ones in many particulars. In some subjects considerable is eliminated, and in others we note additional material to be taken.

The general substance of the outline shows that time is given as an essential in drills through the lower grades to gain thoroughness in the fundamentals, also that everything as far as possible will be required to be practical. To follow such a course will oblige the teachers to use much outside or supplementary work instead of depending largely upon a single text-book for assigned lessons.

Teachers

At the close of the year in June five teachers resigned to accept more lucrative positions in other towns. Principal Hartford and Miss Worth of the High School faculty each accepted positions at salaries greater than we felt the town could afford to pay them to remain. Miss Wyman of Bar Mills Grammar School and Miss Lowell of South Buxton each accepted desirable positions, Miss Lowell going to Connecticut at a salary more than double the amount received in Buxton and Miss Wyman accepting something in line of a promotion in the State of Maine. These two teachers were each holding their first

positions after graduating from Normal School.

Sixteen teachers are employed in town, including those of the High School. With one exception all have had previous experience.

The teachers with a record of success are trying to meet the present requirements in making their work count for efficiency. If the work of the teacher shows efficiency, the results shown by the children will have a like rating. On the other hand, if the teacher neglects important features of her duties, her work loses its efficiency. By neglecting to prepare her own work or to prepare the children for grasping assigned lessons; by failing to give individual members of the class proper attention; by failing to realize that some pupils need more attention than others; by failing to arouse a happy interest in the work, these and many other features of equal importance are for or against her efficiency. It is needless to mention how these, if disregarded, retard the results attained by the children. One author says, "To open a child's eyes to the attractiveness of knowledge is to bring into his life an everlasting joy. The sluggish acceptance of new facts is the greatest hindrance to their use in life and sad is the day when children creep unwillingly to school, but go storming out to play."

We feel that the teachers of the town are performing their work in a professional manner and spirit. Much credit is due them for what is accomplished.

High School

The Committee decided early in the vacation to offer the position of the High School to Eliza S. Libby. Miss Libby, through her untiring efforts in the past, her deep interests in the welfare of the students, and her long, successful experience in the High School is particularly well fitted for such a responsible position. After considerable persuasion she consented to accept the place, and as-

sumed charge at opening of schools in September. The results under her management, assisted by two able assistants, has fully warranted the action of the Committee in making such a choice.

The school has not changed its courses to any extent during the year. It maintains its high standing as a fitting school for college, and we hope the more important standing of fitting its students to have, in addition to completing subjects from text books satisfactorily, a better knowledge of the needs or problems of the community, town, State and nation.

Your attention is called to the report of the Principal.

Repairs

The question of repairs is presenting considerable difficulty. So many unexpected yet unavoidable expenses are coming in the two steam heated buildings that our appropriation is largely exhausted before attention can be given to necessary repairs in other buildings or if planned repairs are made the appropriation is overdrawn.

The new engine provided at the high school and new pump at Bar Mills each had to be purchased to keep the water systems in operation at these two buildings in order to keep the schools in session. These two expenses were not anticipated at time of annual town meeting. This matter perhaps needs no explanation to the voters, as they realize that the systems of heating and furnishing water for the buildings mean more than one would expect unless the conditions are thoroughly understood.

The detailed report of repairs is covered in the report submitted by the School Committee.

Overdrawn Accounts

From a casual observation of this report one will judge

that three accounts from the department controlled by the School Committee have been considerably overdrawn. The overdrafts depending upon the appropriations made at the last annual meeting are comparatively small when we analyze them in connection with existing conditions. On Common School account we were obliged to pay about $150 more for fuel than was paid in 1918; janitor service cost $125 more than for a similar period last year, and the demands for increasing salaries of teachers made it impossible to expend a less amount in this account, yet the overdraft was only slightly more than it was in 1918. The High School Fuel and Janitor account shows quite an overdraft, but the increased price of coal and small increase in pay of janitor is the explanation for this. The repairs account shows that the expenditures were $340.53 more than the appropriation.

We feel that nothing in the matter of repairs was done unnecessarily, as several needed repairs had to be omitted. The high cost of material and labor, also the unexpected expenses at the High School and at Bar Mills School, are the reasons for this expense.

Several accounts show quite a balance unexpended, but the practice of economy in purchasing has allowed these accounts to show such a favorable result. Economy in these matters has been the plan of the Committee in all departments, yet we realize the fact that expenditures count up rapidly, as the times are unusual and it takes more money to do work in public as well as private affairs.

Present Day Needs

The happenings incident to the World War now closing bring to the people of our Nation the vital need of emphasizing the teaching of civics for a deeper and broader understanding of Democracy.

The lurking dangers to the superstructure of our

Government in its varied workings are so apparent that the schools of our land CANNOT afford to neglect their duty to teach the principles that will make our "liberty and freedom safe."

Aristotle long ago pointed out that a Democracy is a highly complex and delicate type of social organization which can succeed only when its educational system trains for Democracy.

With such a description of a system of government for a small Greek state, it is of greater importance to a nation of more than a hundred millions with increasing complexities from outside influences. The schools must as a part of their curriculum provide for teaching the fundamental principles of democracy to the younger citizens who are to be prepared to take up at an early date the responsibilities incumbent upon them.

Conclusion

The School Committee and Superintendent fully appreciate the interest shown during the year by parents and citizens of the Town. By such co-operative interest our work has been made comparatively easy; the many problems confronting us have been more easily solved; the work of the teachers has been much easier; the tasks of the pupils have been made lighter; the results have been correspondingly more marked.

We wish to extend to the teachers our thanks for their unquestioned willingness to conduct the work to meet the approval of all who have in mind a system or organization of schools that is modern and practical.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED BENSON, Superintendent.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF SAMUEL D. HANSON HIGH SCHOOL

February 10, 1919.

To the School Officers and Citizens of Buxton:

Again has come the time when, according to custom, a report should be made to you concerning the work of the past year in the Samuel D. Hanson High School.

At the opening of school on September 16th, conditions seemed favorable for a prosperous year; the building had been cleaned of its summer's dust and fifty-two ambitious pupils were registered.

As you know, trouble soon began. At the end of the first week, there was one case of influenza; and at the end of the second, school was closed as a preventive measure, though few were ill. When we take into consideration that three pupils left school at the end of ten and fifteen days—two because of ill health and one to attend school nearer home—that twenty-one others have been excluded from school for five days or more, either because of exposure to contagious diseases in their homes or because they were themselves ill, it is no wonder that the average attendance fell to forty-two. However, pupils who are forced to be absent because of sickness, are ready to work hard to make up what they have lost. That they have tried is shown by the honor roll for the fall term:

Carl M. Harmon,	97.6
Elmer G. Kelso,	96.2
Alice V. Carll,	95.8
Ethel R. Goff,	94.2
Leona M. Edwards,	93.2
Katherine M. Lord,	92.8
Sylvia W. Hulit,	91.6

Carl B. Eastman,	91.2
Guelma M. Hill,	90.4
Lester V. Goff,	90.0
Class averages:	
Sophomore,	92.6
Senior,	87.0
Junior,	81.7
Freshman,	77.3

There has been a feeling expressed by many that a full year's work cannot be done. It is true that the spring vacation must be cut to one week; it is also true that graduation cannot be held until June 27th, a few days later than ever before. But with these changes the school year will be only five days shorter than it has been other years. In this town there are ten days in each year when school is dismissed, for State Convention and for National holidays. This year only five of these holidays come during the time that school is in session. This gives us a week of work which is not eliminated. We are also having school a week of Saturdays. Not Saturdays in successive weeks, but two or more weeks apart, as weather and roads permit. In this, as in all other matters, there has been the most hearty co-operation among the teachers, and they have felt that they had the loyal support of the pupils.

The school work has followed along exactly the same lines as in previous years, the only changes being those subtle changes which are caused by the individuality of teachers and pupils. One change would be welcome. It would certainly be both pleasant and helpful if those interested in the school would visit it often. Please consider yourselves cordially invited and that you may the more readily choose the time most enjoyable to you, the following is the daily program:

9.00- 9.15.	Opening Exercises.		
9.15- 9.50.	Eng. I	French III	French IV
9.50-10.25.	Eng. IV	Geom. II	Anct. Hist. I
10.45-11.20.	Biol. II	Sr. Review	U. S. Hist. III
11.20-12.00.	Eng. III	Algebra I	Bookkeeping II

1.00- 1.15.	Spelling		
1.15- 2.00.		Agriculture	Latin III & IV
2.00- 2.45.	Phys. Geog.	Chemistry	Latin II
2.45- 3.30.	Eng. III	Chemistry	Latin I

Thanking you for the cordial support which you have always given to the High School and its teachers, I am

Very respectfully,

ELIZA S. LIBBY.

REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

The recent epidemic of influenza necessarily interfered with the routine of school affairs. Fortunately our younger children escaped the worst forms of this terrible and frightful disease. Schools have been closed and the school rooms thoroughly disinfected when any indications of contagion or infection occurred.

Your school physician finds many students of all ages in our schools with bad teeth. Neglect of the teeth is without doubt responsible for much trouble—bad teeth, adenoids and large tonsils not only invite infection, but without doubt are carriers of infection to others.

Parents are urged to attend to teeth, mouth and throats of their little children.

Sanitary conditions in our various school buildings are, on the whole, quite satisfactory.

Your school physician is glad to examine any child at his office during vacations and consult with parents concerning conditions, and there will, of course, be no charge for such service.

Respectfully submitted,

A. G. WILEY, M. D.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Buxton:

We herewith submit to you our annual report of the condition of the school buildings throughout the town.

At Bogg Mill schoolhouse a steel ceiling has been put in, which we think will be much cheaper in the end than plaster.

Both the Chicopee and Groveville schoolrooms have been painted.

At the Bar Mills Graded School it has been necessary to replace the galvanized iron hoods over the ventilators and a new pump has been put in the well. The engine has been repaired a number of times and needs more done to it. We would recommend, in case the engine has to be replaced by another, to install a small motor and use electricity for pumping instead of the unsatisfactory gasoline engine outfit. The heating plant has given much trouble this year and in order to remedy the matter it will be necessary to put in larger pipes and make changes similar to those made at the High School building.

At the High School a new engine has been installed, and the heating apparatus has had a thorough overhauling and is now giving good satisfaction.

We would recommend the building of a new vault at Bogg Mill School, as the present one is in bad condition.

We would also recommend painting the schoolroom and whitening the ceiling at Salmon Falls school building.

We have tried to give you an idea of the general repairs made without enumerating the smaller ones which come up every year.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES B. ELDEN,
ERNEST H. EMERY,
WILLIAM HAGUE,
S. S. Committee.

TABULAR REPORT.

School	Term	Teachers	Weeks	Enrollment	Av. Attend.	Wages
High School	Spring	Archie C. Hartford, Prin.	11	41	39	$1,050
		Eliza S. Libby				700.
		Orrie Worth				650.
	Fall	Eliza S. Libby, Prin.	12	52	42	900.
		Max Harmon				700.
		Mildred Tinker				650.
Bar Mills	Spring	Christine Wyman	10	22	18	11.00
		Irene M. Merrill	10	31	25	10 50
		Josephine Rideout	10	45	37	10.50
	Fall	Ora Jose	10	22	17	14.00
		Irene M. Merrill	10	41	28	13 00
		Josephine Rideout	10	44	31	13.00
Salmon Falls	Spring	Edith M. Weymouth	10	25	21	11.00
	Fall	Edith M. Weymouth	14	21	16	14.00
Duck Pond	Spring	Esther M. Bragdon	10	20	18	10.50
	Fall	Esther M. Bragdon	10	15	14	13.00
N. C. Watson	Spring	Leona M. Harriman	10	19	12	11.00
	Fall	Leona M. Harriman	10	20	14	13.00
Dearborn Hill	Spring	Elizabeth M Foye	10	11	10	11.50
	Fall	Elizabeth M. Foye	10	11	10	13 00
Bogg Mill	Spring	Eunice G. Richardson	10	16	14	10.50
	Fall	Eunice G. Richardson	10	16	14	12.00
West Buxton	Spring	Mary Alice Davis	10	13	12	11.50
	Fall	Florence Leighton	8	17	14	12.00
Shadigee	Spring	Mabel W. Boothby	10	9	8	10.00
	Fall	Mabel W. Boothby	10	9	7	11.00
Buxton Center	Spring	Sara E. Emery	10	24	21	11.00
	Fall	Sara E. Emery	10	16	13	13.00
W. C. Webster	Spring	Minnie S. Flood	10	18	14	10.00
	Fall	Minnie S. Flood	10	19	16	11.00
South Buxton	Spring	Myrtle M. Lowell	10	16	15	10.50
	Fall	Elizabeth Blanchard	10	16	15	13.00

Wages of High School teachers reported by the year
Wages of Common School teachers reported by the week

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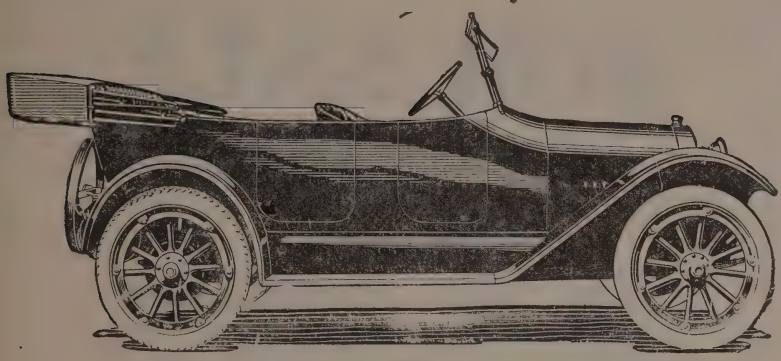

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